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MIYUKI ABE * ASUKA COMICS CL-DX

A month before the Kaidou brothers moved.



ITS
OUT!

rustle

rustle

rustle

UWAAA
AAAAA
AAAH!

AH, REN.
PLEASE
STEP ASIDE.

I'LL GO
GET RID OF
IT NOW.

IT'S
WARMER
THIS
YEAR.

IT'S NOT
EVEN THAT
SEASON
YET?!

WHY!?

clatter
clatter
clatter

wiggle wiggle

Bare hand.

This
beetle
looking
thing?

...YEAH,
REN. WASH
YOUR HANDS
PROPERLY!

GYAAAAA!

THROW
IT AWAY
QUICKLY,
REN!

IDIOT...
DON'T
FLING
IT HERE!

I don't want
to stay in
an apartment
like this
anymore!

The (hidden)
circumstances
of the Kaidou
brother's
move to a
new place.



Hello! Abe Miyuki here!

Thank you so much for purchasing the
second volume of "Super Lovers"!!

Taking the chance here to quietly reveal this,
but while working on the pome, the raccoon dog
(tanuki) and pomeranian DON'T LOOK ALIKE, right?

Actually, after going to the zoo to take
a look, the raccoon dog is a raccoon dog.
WELL, LET'S LEAVE THIS ASIDE!!

I'll be glad if you enjoyed this a little ♡

Abe Miyuki

TANUKI?

RICE*?

?

REN,

THIS ISN'T A
RACCOON
DOG, IT'S A
POME?

KOME-
RAIAN*?

The elder
brother
who doesn't
care about
trying to
correct him
anymore.

It
is a
dog!

Pome!

SO IT'S
NOT A
DOG?

Pome-
ranian!

...
Enough.

* In Japanese rice is pronounced Kome. Ren misheard Kome as Kome and thus responded as such.

* Mix of kome (rice) and pomeranian.

* Tanuki = Raccoon



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WHAT
ARE
YOU
DOING?

WHAT...

I NEED
TO GET
READY TO
MOVE.

YOU'RE
LEAVING!?

REN!

I
KNOW.

ESPECIALLY
ALL THE GIRLS,
THEY ALL
REALLY WANT
YOUR MAILING
ADDRESS.

BUT TODAY
IS OUR
LAST CHANCE,
DIDN'T WE
DECIDE THAT
WE WOULD
ALL GO EAT
TOGETHER?

REN!?

OH, IT'S
ONLY A 20
MINUTE
WALK

OH FORGET IT,
TODAY I'M GIVING
UP ON YOU... IS
YOUR NEW HOUSE
FAR FROM THIS
APARTMENT?

...I DON'T
UNDERSTAND
WHAT YOU'RE
SAYING.

WHY?

YOU DON'T
HAVE ANY
SAY IN THE
MATTER.

I DON'T
THINK
THAT'S
NECES-
SARY

WE'LL RE-
SCHEDULE
TODAY'S
PLANS.

CONTACT ME
IMMEDIATELY
ONCE THINGS
SETTLE DOWN.

AT THE END OF
LAST YEAR THERE
WAS SUDDENLY A
TRANSFER STUDENT
FROM ABROAD.

AND HE ALSO
HAPPENED TO
BE AN UNUSU-
ALLY GOOD-
LOOKING GUY..

...I
KNOW.

Japa-
nese
people

Are
really
hard to
under-
stand.

HOW COULD THEY
LET GO OF SUCH
A DELICIOUS BOY
SO EASILY?



ASU

I never
thought I'd
come back to
Japan

But now I've
just started
school and
graduated no
matter how
I think of
it it's really
unbelievable

WE'RE ACTUALLY
TOGETHER





I'S REALLY
HARD TO
TELL THE
DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN JAPA-
NESE PEOPLE
SINCE THEY ALL
LOOK AND ACT
THE SAME

I WAS
ONLY AT
THAT
SCHOOL
FOR HALF
A YEAR

ALSO..

I DON'T EVEN
REMEMBER
HALF MY
CLASSMATES.



SHE'S STILL
THE SAME,
JUST AS
HANDSOME
AS BEFORE.

JUST NOW
I RAN INTO
KIRI-CHAN.

How do
we go
back?

SHE'S
A GIRL.

IF IN HIGH
SCHOOL
YOU RUN
INTO THIS
KIND OF
PROBLEM
AGAIN.

YOU...

OH WELL,
THERE'S
NO ONE TO
BLAME.

IN HIGH SCHOOL
THERE WILL BE
A LOT MORE
STUDENTS FROM
DIFFERENT TYPES
OF FAMILIES AND
BACKGROUNDS.

LIKE
MINE?

YOU SHOULD
TAKE ADVANTAGE
OF THE OPPORTU-
NITY TO DISCOVER
MORE ABOUT
YOURSELF

YOU REMEM-
BER EVERY-
THING ABOUT
THE DOGS
SO CLEARLY,
WHERE DID
YOU GO
WRONG?

FROM YOUR
SCHOOL, ONLY
YOU TWO WILL
BE GOING TO
THE SAME
HIGH SCHOOL

WILL
YOU BE
LONELY?

NO.

RIGHT

OH.

The Kaidou
Family has
four brothers.



I HATE THAT LITTLE MONSTER, HE'S SO MUCH TROUBLE!

ME, I'M A CARNIVORE, I EAT MEAT!

The second brother Aki 19 years old.

The third brother Shima 19 years old.

BECAUSE REN GRADUATED TODAY, SO WE NEED TO CELEBRATE.

BUT REN DOESN'T REALLY LIKE EATING AT RESTAURANTS.

Aki, I think that eating some vegetables would be good for you.

BUT SUDDENLY I HAVE TO EAT RICE BECAUSE OF THAT LITTLE KID.

You're so annoying!



TONIGHT IS OUR LAST NIGHT IN THIS APARTMENT.

ALSO...

DOESN'T IT MAKE YOU A LITTLE SENTIMENTAL?

NO.

Starting tomorrow...



WHY DID YOU BUY SO MUCH FOOD...?

THANKS A LOT.

REALLY.

TOMORROW WE'RE MOVING OUT.



STRAWBERRY MOCHI?

The fourth brother Ren 15 years old.

ASKED FOR US TO BRING HIM SOME STRAWBERRY MOCHI WHEN WE MOVE OUT

THE LANDLORD

The oldest Haru 23 years old.

I forgot



MOCHI?

I KNOW... I'LL BUY SOME FOR YOU TOO.

It's really delicious.

YOU PUT A WHOLE STRAWBERRY INSIDE THE MOCHI.

WHAT? YOU DON'T KNOW?





These four
brothers will
live together

*Obasan, respectful term for older women.



NO MATTER
WHERE WE
WENT WE
WERE BEING
CHASED BY
OBASAN*.

Really
unorga-
nized.

OH, HARU,
REN, YOU'RE
HOME.

HOW
WAS THE
GRADUA-
TION CER-
EMONY?

YOU SHOULD
BE THANKFUL
THAT YOU
WEREN'T
BEING
CHASED BY
THE POLICE.



I'M
BACK.



AND GRADUATED FROM JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

HE'S ALREADY BEEN IN SCHOOL FOR HALF A YEAR

TAKE THE STRAWBERRY MOCHI AND GIVE THEM TO THE LANDLORD

HERE REN.

IT WAS LAST YEAR AT THE BEGINNING OF OCTOBER THAT WE CAME BACK TO JAPAN SO. IT'S BEEN ABOUT 5 MONTHS?

YEAH

TIME PASSES REALLY QUICKLY.

TELL HIM THAT I'LL STOP BY AND SPEAK WITH HIM TOMORROW.

I KNOW

REN SAID THAT HE WANTED TO LIVE IN CANADA FOREVER, AND I DIDN'T THINK THERE WAS ANY PROBLEM.

WERE YOU SUDDENLY ENJOYING A LIFE OF RUNNING AROUND THE COUNTRYSIDE?

WOULDN'T IT HAVE BEEN BETTER TO HAVE IMMEDIATELY COME BACK TO JAPAN?

Even though it was an hour trip each way!

EVERY DAY I HAD TO DRIVE HIM TO A SCHOOL THAT WAS REALLY FAR AWAY

WHEN I WAS IN CANADA I MADE HIM GO TO SCHOOL EVERY DAY.

AT THE BEGINNING WE THOUGHT THAT YOU TWO WOULDN'T EVER COME BACK, AT LEAST IN THIS LIFETIME.

BUT THEN SUDDENLY REN SAID THAT HE'D COME BACK TO JAPAN WITH ME.

What are you saying!?

Ohhhh!

BUT THEN,
HARUKO,
SHE...

MY VISA WAS
ABOUT TO
EXPIRE AND
AT THAT POINT
I REALLY
DIDN'T KNOW
WHAT TO DO.

EVERY DAY
I TRIED TO
TALK HIM INTO
COMING BACK.

BUT I COULD
NEVER GET
AN ANSWER
OUT OF HIM.

In the 4th month of the lunar year,
everyone harvests rice and eats it.

That's the
reason he
decided to
come back
to Japan!?

What!?

New
rice?

Japanese
person

It's
almost time
for Japan's
New Rice
Festival!

What great
memories!

"New rice" is rice that
was harvested during
the new year. The rice
grains are really clean
and bright and the
taste is wonderful!

Is it
different
than normal
rice?

Really it is so
the taste

she said
it. Ren
had never
eaten "new
rice"

At the
time

AS SOON AS WE GOT
TO JAPAN I HAD NO
CHOICE BUT TO FIND
A RICE STORE AND
BUY "NEW RICE"

so I had
to buy a
new brand



AND HE
WAS SO
PERSISTENT
ABOUT IT!

I DON'T WANT
TO DEAL WITH
IT AGAIN!



HUH?

JII-
SAN?



*About \$180.

A 15 YEAR
OLD MIDDLE
SCHOOL
STUDENT
THAT WANTS
A RICE
COOKER...

LAST YEAR I
ASKED HIM WHAT
HE WANTED FOR
CHRISTMAS AND
HE SAID "A RICE
COOKER"!

ALSO IT WAS
A THREE CUP
RICE COOKER
THAT COST
15,000* YEN!

...IN THE END,
I DIDN'T BUY
IT FOR HIM.

BUT FROM
HIS EXPRESSION
I COULD TELL
HE REALLY
WANTED IT!

HIS LAST BIRTH-
DAY PRESENT
WAS A BAG OF
"AKITA FIELDS" ..



DO WE
HAVE A
GUEST?

OH.

THAT'S MY
DAUGHTER
IN LAW.



STRAW-
BERRY
MOCHI.

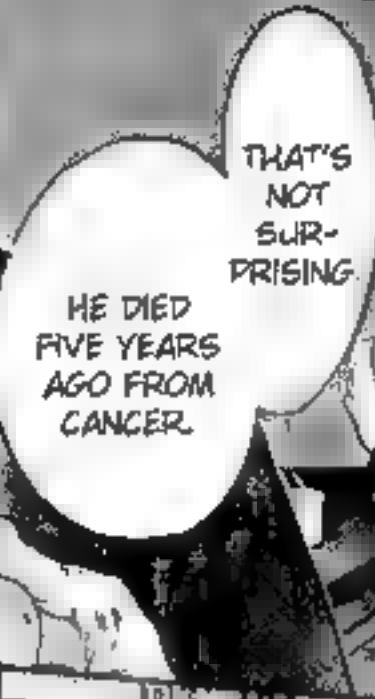
IS THERE
A PROB-
LEM?

COME IN
AND HAVE
A CUP OF
TEA.

OH
GOOD



AND MY WIFE
LEFT LAST YEAR.
YOU COULD
SAY SHE WAS
TRYING TO SAVE
HERSELF.



THAT'S
NOT
SUR-
PRISING.

HE DIED
FIVE YEARS
AGO FROM
CANCER.



THIS IS THE
FIRST I'VE
HEARD ABOUT
YOU HAVING
A SON.



SHE TALKS
ALL DAY ABOUT
HOW SHE
WANTS TO SELL
THIS PLACE AND
BUILD A LUXURY
APARTMENT
BUILDING IT'S
SO ANNOY-
ING

EVEN THOUGH
SHE COMES BY
SOMETIMES AND
SHOWS HER FACE,
ALL THAT WOMAN
WANTS IS THIS
HOUSE.

DON'T
MAKE ME
LAUGH!



WHAT?

WITH
THAT
NASTY
MONSTER
OF A
WIFE?



YOU TWO
DON'T LIVE
TOGETHER?



ANYWAY,
YOU'RE ALL
MOVING OUT
TOMORROW.

BE
QUIET!

IF YOU
HAVE AN
OPINION...

ACTUALLY
THIS PLACE
REALLY IS
PRETTY
OLD.



JII-
SAN,

WHAT HAVE
YOU BEEN
DOING THIS
WHOLE
TIME?



SINCE THE BE-
GINNING OF LAST WEEK THERE'S
BEEN A RACCOON
LIVING UNDER
THE PORCH.

HUH?

RAC-
COON?

HAVE YOU
SEEN A
RACCOON
BEFORE?



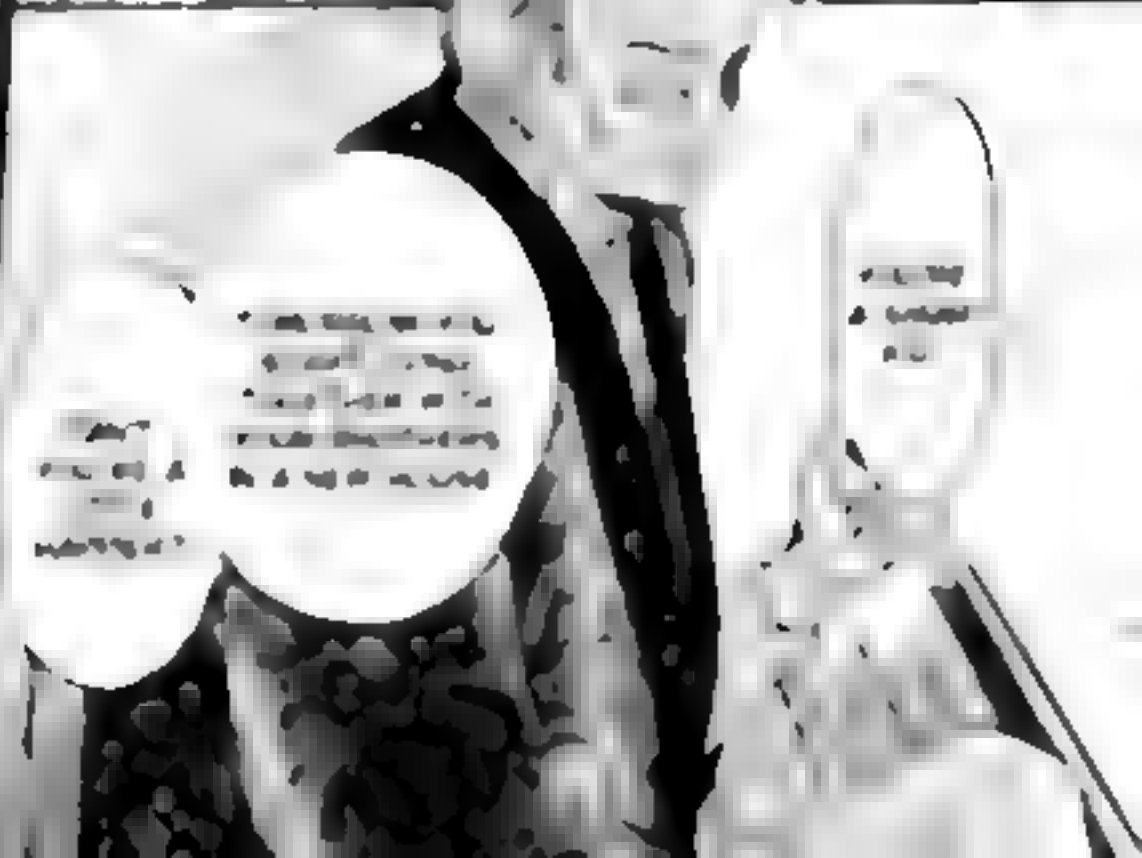
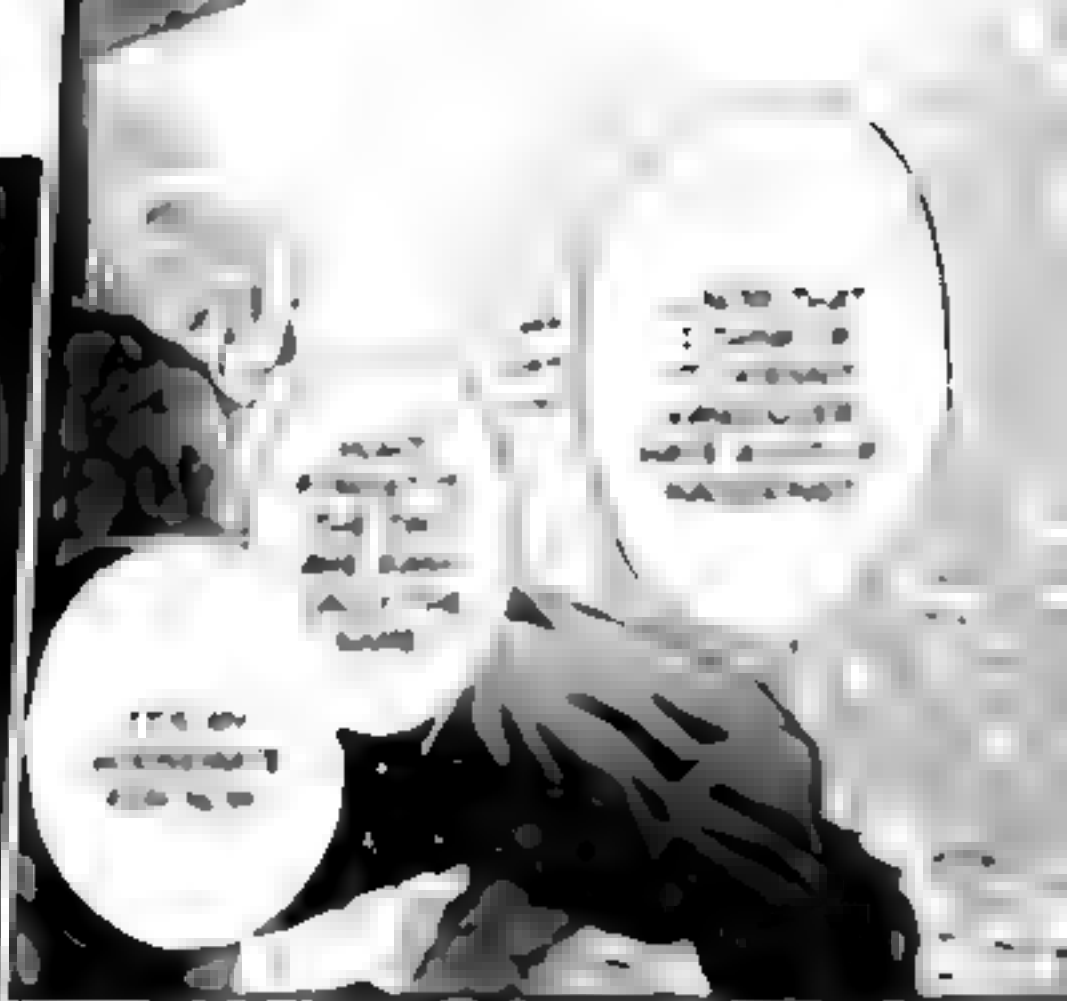
HARU SAID
THAT TOMOR-
ROW HE'D COME
BY AND SPEAK
WITH YOU.

NOW THAT
YOU MENTION
IT HE'S
THE LONGEST
TENANT I'VE
HAD

REALLY?

AT FIRST I SAW
HIM WEARING
THOSE FANCY
CLOTHES, I
THOUGHT WHERE
THE HELL DID
THIS FREAK
COME FROM.

THEN IN THE END
HE TOLD ME HE
WAS LOOKING FOR
A PLACE TO LIVE
WITH HIS YOUNGER
BROTHERS AND
THAT HE SPENT ALL
HIS TIME WORKING
TO SUPPORT THEM





YOU CAN COME
COMPLAIN TO
THIS OLD MAN
WHenever
YOU NEED TO.

JUST RE-
MEMBER TO
BRING ME
SOME LAMB
SOUP WHEN
YOU COME.

IF YOU DON'T
LIKE THAT
IDIOT OLDER
BROTHER OF
YOURS, YOU'RE
ALWAYS WEL-
COME HERE.

.. I'M
NOT
UNHAPPY.

IT'S
JUST .

FINE.



WHOA!

I'LL BRING
YOU THREE
KINDS OF
LAMB SOUP
WHEN
I COME.

I KNOW,
I'LL COME
VISIT



THAT'S WHAT
THEY ALWAYS
SAY

Finally, I can
start living with
my brothers.





THE WAY AKI
SLEEPS IS SO
STRANGE. HE
ALMOST CRUSHED
ME TO DEATH.

REN,
WHAT'S
WRONG?



TOMORROW
WE'RE MOVING
SO WE HAVE TO
GET UP EARLY.



WHAT
ARE YOU
MAKING
RIGHT
NOW?

THAT .

THAT'S
REALLY
A DISAS-
TER.

IF YOU DON'T
MIND YOU CAN
SLEEP WITH
ME ON THE
SOFA BED.

THIS IS
BREAK-
FAST.



WAIT,

REN.

OH,
REALLY.



BECAUSE
WE ALREADY
UNPLUGGED
THE REFRIG-
ERATOR
AND WE ALREADY
PACKED ALL
THE SILVERWARE,
SO I CAN ONLY
MAKE SOME
SIMPLE SNACKS

NO NEED
I'VE AL-
READY
FINISHED

DO YOU
NEED
HELP?



I DON'T
HAVE THE
RIGHT TO
QUESTION
WHAT YOU
DO.

YOU'RE
THE HEAD
OF THE
HOUSE-
HOLD

?

BECAUSE I
DIDN'T DISCUSS
MOVING WITH
YOU BEFORE
MAKING A
DECISION?

ARE YOU
UNHAPPY

HEY,
WHAT'S
WRONG?

CALIFORNIA
72

WHAT?



IS IT BECAUSE
WE'RE GOING TO
LIVE TOGETHER
WITH AKI AND
SHIMA?

THEN



HUH?

I THINK THAT
IT'S AKI AND
SHIMA WHO
DON'T AGREE.

IT'S
JUST
THAT?

IT'S
JUST
THAT

NO.



AFTERALL, I'VE
BEEN MONOPO-
LIZING YOU FOR
THE PAST YEAR.

REN?

I've been living
together with
him. Even though
I've been to-
gether with him
every day...

This
year...

I've never
heard him
speak his
emotions
so openly.

It makes
me
forget
about
every-
thing
else.

REN.

Truly...

Chuckle

IF I WERE
ONE OF
THOSE TWO.

I DEFINITELY
WOULDN'T BE
HAPPY.



FW

HMMMM?

RECENTLY
HAS HE
GOTTEN
A LITTLE
MORE
USED TO
IT?

HA...
RU!

KISS♡

Not
kissing!

A LITTLE BIT
LONGER AND
YOU'LL HAVE
NO COM-
PLAINTS

Not
accepting
feelings

HA...

KISS

HM..?

Falling
in love.

Six bam

It's
always
like this.

This
guy!

It's
so
annoy-
ing!

That
hurts!

It's really
because
he has no
self con-
fidence.





NATSU-SAN,
I CAME TO
HELP YOU.



GOOD
MORN-
ING..

IKU-
YOSHI.

HERE'S A
HOUSE-
WARMING
PRESENT I
BROUGHT
FOR YOU.

MY FAMILY HAS
A FARM WITH
ALL SORTS OF
VEGETABLES.

IF THERE'S
ANYTHING YOU
WANT PLEASE
FEEL FREE
TO ASK

THANKS
FOR BRING-
ING IT BY.

IKU-
CHAN.

HUH?

THE LAND-
LORD IS A
WOMAN!?

IT WAS NICE
OF HER TO
RENT IT OUT
AT SUCH A
LOW PRICE.

BACK TO THE
POINT, THIS
HOUSE IS CER-
TAINLY VERY
LUXURIOUS

HI
GUYS!

SHE HAS
A LOT OF
HOUSES.

MIKIKO-SAN IS
A LAWYER WHO'S
BEEN BY QUITE A
FEW TIMES.

AND
MY TWO
BROTHERS
ARE BOTH
OBSESSED
WITH
FARMING!

MY FAMILY
MEMBERS ARE
FARMERS! MY
RELATIVES ARE
FARMERS! MY
TWO SISTERS
BOTH MARRIED
FARMERS!

I'M SO
JEA-
LOUS!

EVEN THOUGH
SHE'S A
VERY CAPABLE
PERSON, CAN
SHE REALLY
HAVE THAT
MUCH MONEY?

LONG TIME
NO SEE
IKUYOSHI-
SAN.

So I
really
hate
Farm-
ers!

The
youngest
child ? YOU
HAVE A
LOT OF
BROTHERS
AND
SISTERS.

I'VE HEARD
HER FAMILY
IS REALLY
RICH

ABOUT
THAT



YOU'RE STILL SO COLD TO ME. . OR RENREN, SHOULD I SAY COOL?

HE DOESN'T GET ANYTHING OUT OF BEING NICE TO YOU

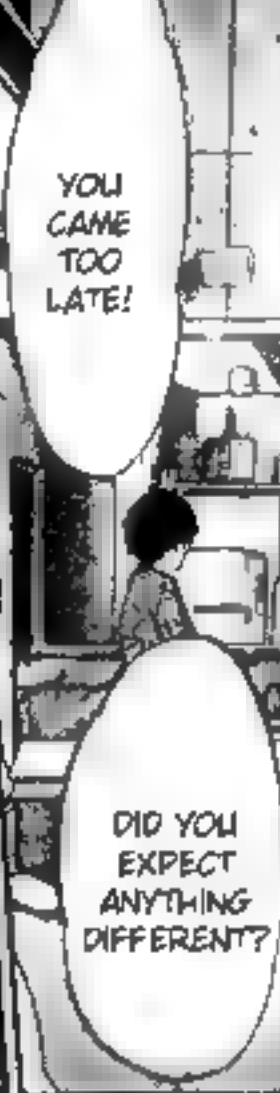
I CAN'T SAY IT'LL GET ANY BETTER



REN,

DID YOU FINISH PACKING THE SUIT-CASE IN YOUR ROOM?

IT'S PACKED.



YOU CAME TOO LATE!

I WANTED TO HELP YOU SO I CAME BY.

DID YOU EXPECT ANYTHING DIFFERENT?



AH...

THE PREVIOUS TENANT WAS A HANDICRAFT TEACHER WHO OPENED A CLASSROOM OVER THERE.

IS THE OTHER BUILDING GOING TO BE FOR STORAGE?

BRO,

Strayed older brother



AND IKUYOSHI IS GOING TO BE MY ASSISTANT. ♡

PLAN ON QUITTING MY JOB AS A HOST AND OPENING UP A STORE.





IT'S
BASICALLY
CLEANED UP
AND SEEMS
PRETTY COM-
FORTABLE.

OH.

HOW'S
THE
HOUSE?

THAT HOUSE
HAS AN AMAZ-
ING YARD THE
ROSES ARE
ABOUT TO
BLOOM, JUST
BE SURE TO
KEEP UP ON
MAINTENANCE.

REALLY?

I'LL DO
MY BEST



Hello.

NO..

THIS IS
HOW I
NORMALLY
DRESS.



WHAT LOOK?
I'M JUST LOOK-
ING BACK AT
HOW SMOOTHLY
EVERYTHING
WENT.

YOU'VE BEEN
LOOKING FORWARD
TO THIS FOR A
LONG TIME, BEING
ABLE TO LIVE
TOGETHER WITH
YOUR BROTHERS.
WHY IS IT THAT
YOU HAVE SUCH A
SERIOUS LOOK ON
YOUR FACE?

REN'S
SCHOOL
SITUATION
IS FIGURED
OUT

WHAT
IS IT?

YOU'RE NOT
WEARING
YOUR WORK
CLOTHES,
THAT'S RARE.

BECAUSE
THAT KID
HAS A
GREAT
BRAIN.

HIS ADMS-
SION FEE AND
TUITION ARE
BOTH FREE.

REN IS AN
EXCELLENT
STUDENT AND
GOT ACCEPTED
TO HIGH
SCHOOL.

IN THE END THE
SAKAMI EVEN CON-
CEDED AND ALLOWED
THE TWO TWINS TO
LIVE WITH YOU.

YOU'RE
COM-
PLETELY
RIGHT.

ALL THE
SURPRISES
FOR THAT SPACE
REALLY ARE?

WHAT COULD
BE BOTHERING
THE OLDER
BROTHER?

THEN,

IN THE
OTHER
APARTMENT
WE LIVED IN
THE SAME
ROOM.

AHH...
HOW
SHOULD
I SAY
IT?

OH?

OR COULD
IT BE THAT
YOU'RE NOT
USED TO
LIVING WITH
THE TWINS?

AH...

NO MATTER
WHAT WE DID
WE COULD
KNOW WHAT
THE OTHER
PERSON WAS
DOING

NO,
IT'S NOT
THAT

BUT THIS
HOUSE ISN'T
LIKE THAT

WAS

MOVING
VERY
DIFFICULT?

THE ONLY DOGS HE'S
INTERESTED IN ARE
100 LBS WOLVES!

THEN JUST
GET HIM A
PET DOG?

NO.

HAS
REN SAID
ANYTHING
ABOUT
MOVING?

This
is
'Tokyo'

Would
it make
that kid
happy?

SINCE WE'VE
MOVED HE'S JUST
BEEN STAYING IN
HIS ROOM.

DOESN'T A BOY
HIS AGE THINK
IT'S REALLY
ANNOYING?

YOU REALLY
ARE EXCESSIVE
IN HOW MUCH
YOU TAKE CARE
OF HIM.

NOW I'M
GETTING
MORE AND
MORE
BUSY...

EVEN
THOUGH IT
WAS LIKE
THAT
BEFORE.

Ann! Now that
I think of it
Aki was the
same way when
he was in
middle school.

Really
annoy-
ing

Defin-
itely

shock

HHH!?
You're lying!
I'm annoying?

BUT,
WELL...

AH, BUT
REN SAID
THAT TOO



BUT IT WAS
BECAUSE OF YOU
THAT HE DECIDED
TO MOVE FROM
CANADA TO JAPAN.

IT SEEMS LIKE
THAT BOY
IS REALLY
FOND OF YOU





AMH...
ENOUGH!
YOU'RE
SURE AN
ANNOYING
LITTLE KID!

HAVING AN
EXTRA YOUNGER
BROTHER IS SO
MUCH TROUBLE!

YOU THINK
I WANT TO
TAKE CARE
OF YOU!?



IN THE BEGINNING
WHEN HARU WENT
TO GET YOU,
SHOULDN'T HE HAVE
TOLD YOU THIS?

ALSO, YOU
SHOULD
PAY MORE
ATTENTION
TO WHAT
YOU SAY



WE LIVE
TOGETHER,
IF THERE'S
NO PROBLEM
THAT'S WEIRD!

YOU
DON'T
HAVE ANY
PROBLEMS
BEING
ALONE?

I'M STILL
WORRIED
ABOUT
YOU...!

THERE'S
NO
NEED.

WHY
WOULD YOU
BE WORRIED
ABOUT ME?

BECAUSE
BRO BROUGHT
YOU HERE!

IT'S REALLY
OBVIOUS
YOU'RE JUST
A LITTLE KID
WHO CAN'T DO
ANYTHING

DON'T SPEND ALL
DAY PRETENDING
TO BE AN ADULT

WE
WENT TO
MUSEUM

WAS?

PLATE HERE
OF F. L. L. L. L. L.
WAS AS?

WE LEFT
EARLY



TO
WORK.

I

ALSO
WANT .

Let's
eat fish
today.



SHIMA
ISN'T HOME
EITHER
BECAUSE
HE'S
WORKING.

HARU..

IT'S BEEN A
LONG TIME
SINCE IT'S
BEEN JUST
THE TWO OF
US EATING
TOGETHER.

HUH
...?



ME!

WHO?

TO
WORK.

YOU
WANT TO
WHAT?



What?
You don't
want to
pee, then?

I didn't
misunder-
stand!

YOU
MISUNDER-
STOOD MY
MEANING!

I
SAID...

DINNER
TONIGHT IS
PORK SOUP
AND ROASTED
FISH.

WHEN
YOU'RE
DONE WITH
THAT
THERE'S
ZUCCHINI
AND CAR-
ROTS

THEN
DO THIS.

OH...

HELP
ME
PEEL
THEM.

POTA-
TOES?



WHAT DO
YOU WANT TO
WORK FOR?
DO YOU WANT
MONEY?

YOU CAN'T EVEN
PEEL POTATOES
WELL, WHO'S GOING
TO WANT TO HIRE
A USELESS KID
LIKE YOU?

WHAT KIND
OF COUNTRY
DO YOU THINK
THIS IS?

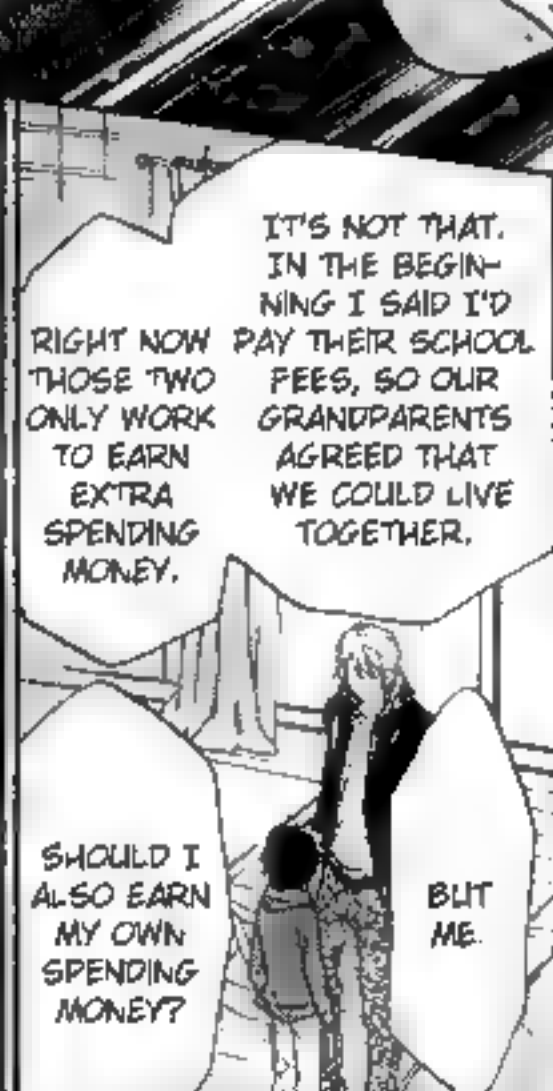
YOU DON'T
SPEAK TO PEOPLE
RESPECTFULLY
AND YOU DON'T
TRY AND MAKE
PEOPLE LIKE YOU.



ARE YOU
ACTUALLY
WORRIED
ABOUT
THAT?

YOU...

IT'S
A BIG
DEAL.



IT'S NOT THAT.
IN THE BEGIN-
NING I SAID I'D
PAY THEIR SCHOOL
FEES, SO OUR
GRANDPARENTS
AGREED THAT
WE COULD LIVE
TOGETHER.

RIGHT NOW
THOSE TWO
ONLY WORK
TO EARN
EXTRA
SPENDING
MONEY.

SHOULD I
ALSO EARN
MY OWN
SPENDING
MONEY?

BUT
ME.



DO

WE
NEED
MONEY?



DON'T
TREAT ME
LIKE I'M A
CHILD!

HAA...

THE KID IN
MY HOUSE
REALLY LIKES
TO WORRY.

IS THAT WHY
SHIMA AND
AK HAVE TO
WORK PART
TIME DURING
COLLEGE?

WHAT'S
THE
PRO-
BLEM
WITH
THAT?

I'M NOT
STAYING WITH
YOU BECAUSE
I NEED YOU.

I...

There,
there

IT'S NO
PROBLEM IF
YOU STAY A
CHILD FOR
A WHILE
LONGER.

WILL YOU SAY REALLY?
THE SAME
THING NEXT
YEAR OR THE
YEAR AFTER?

He's like a
very childish
adult.

I'LL
ALWAYS
NEED
YOU.

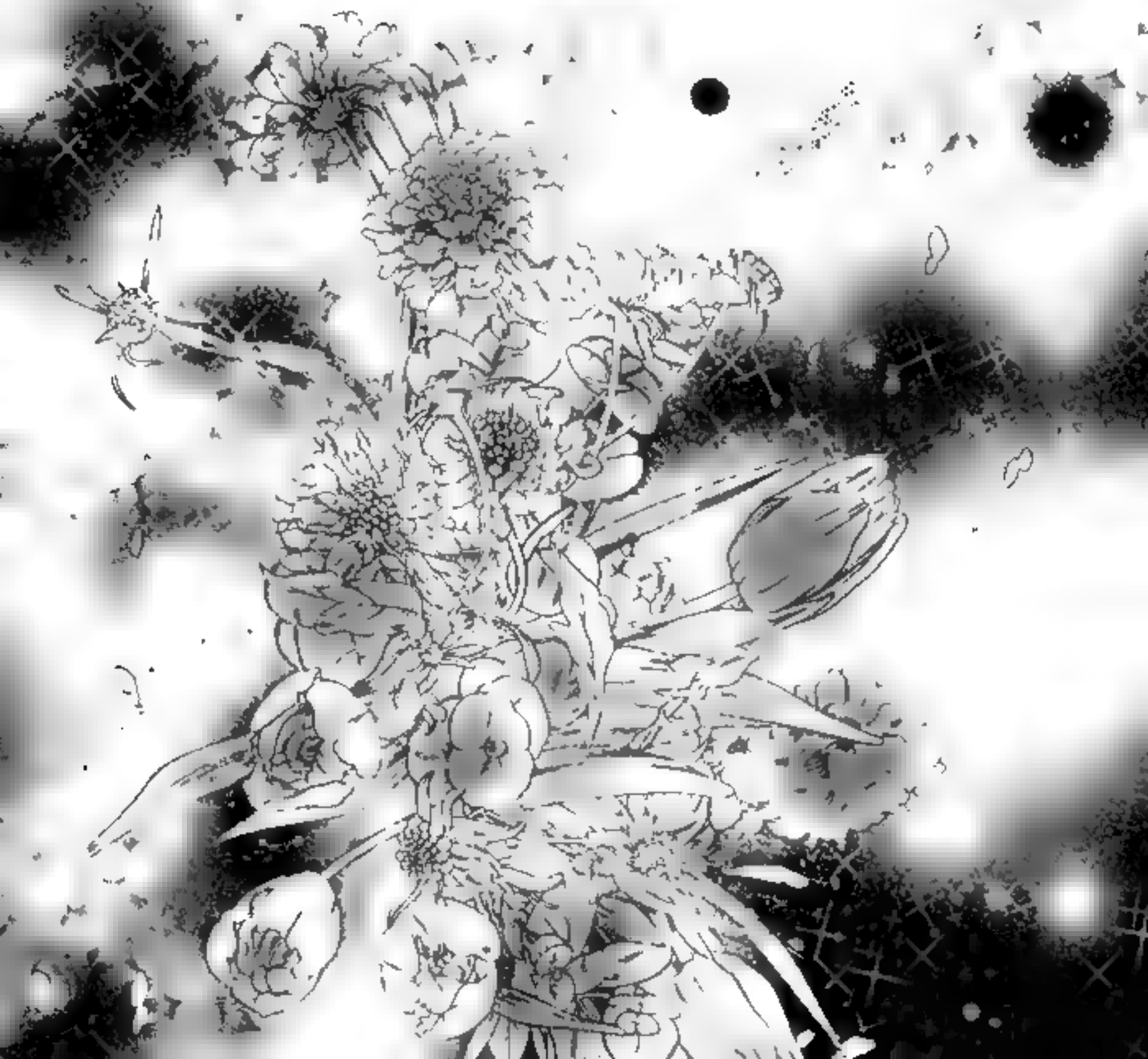
OH?

IS
THAT
SO?

Heh,
heh

IF YOU BECOME
AN ADULT SO
QUICKLY YOU
WON'T NEED ME.

He acts even
more spoiled
than I did.







Jii-
san!?

So

even



THAT'S
RIGHT.

SHE'S A
NURSE
HERE..

MY DEMON
WIFE IS
THE HEAD
NURSE
HERE.

SO, UNLESS
I'M ABSOLUTELY
FORCED TO, I'M
NOT STAYING AT
THIS HOSPITAL.



AND
YOU EVEN
REFUSED
TO GET IN
THE AMBU-
LANCE!?

IT'S LUCKY
THAT THIS
BOY NOTICED,
OTHERWISE
WHO KNOWS
WHAT STATE
YOU'D BE IN
RIGHT NOW.

YOU
SHOULD
BE VERY
THANKFUL
TO THIS
BOY AND
PAY HIM
BACK THE
MONEY
FOR THE
CAB FARE.

AND FUR-
THERMORE
YOU SHOULD
THANK HIS
PARENTS
TOO.



DID YOU
REALLY
JUST BREAK
A BONE BY
SUDDENLY
FALLING IN
THE HALL-
WAY?

HAVEN'T I TOLD
YOU THAT YOU
SHOULD BE
MORE CAREFUL?

YOU'RE AN
ADULT NOT
A CHILD!



FEED IT
SOME LEFT-
OVERS AND
GIVE IT WATER,
COULD YOU?

ASIDE FROM
YOU THERE'S
NOBODY ELSE
WHO KNOWS
ABOUT IT

I'll give
you the
house
key.

I'LL BRING
SOME LEFT-
OVERS FROM
MY HOUSE.

I'LL JUST
GO AROUND
THE YARD
THERE'S NO
NEED TO GIVE
ME THE KEY



THERE'S ONE
OTHER FAVOR
I NEED TO ASK
OF YOU.

AT THE
HOUSE
THERE'S
THE..

RAC-
COON?

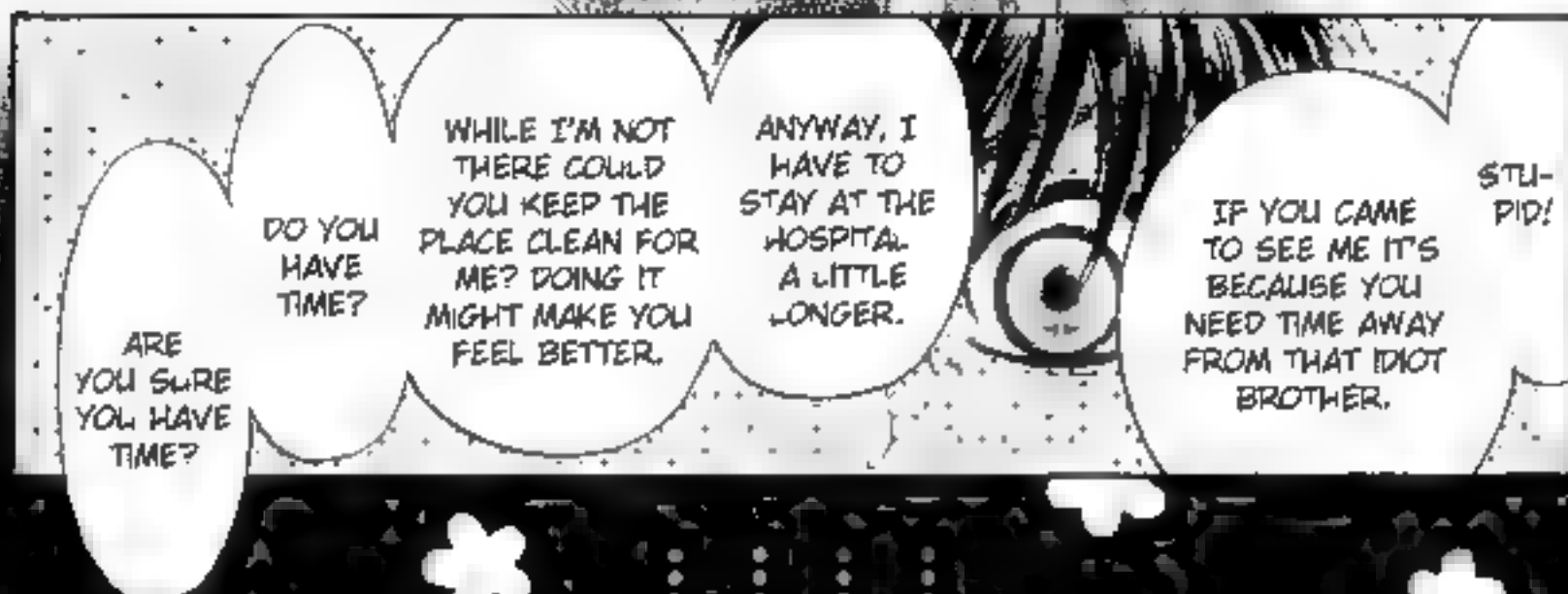


HM. IF WHAT
THAT OLD WITCH
SAID WAS TRUE
I'VE CAUSED
YOU A LOT OF
TROUBLE.

IT'S
NOTHING.

RIGHT.

I JUST HAD
SOME FREE
TIME AND
WANTED TO
SEE YOU.



ARE
YOU SURE
YOU HAVE
TIME?

DO YOU
HAVE
TIME?

WHILE I'M NOT
THERE COULD
YOU KEEP THE
PLACE CLEAN FOR
ME? DOING IT
MIGHT MAKE YOU
FEEL BETTER.

ANYWAY, I
HAVE TO
STAY AT THE
HOSPITAL
A LITTLE
LONGER.

IF YOU CAME
TO SEE ME IT'S
BECAUSE YOU
NEED TIME AWAY
FROM THAT IDIOT
BROTHER.

STU-
PID!



Great
thank
you so
much





WHO MADE YOU
HANG UP THE
PHONE BEFORE
HEARING
EVERYTHING?

COULD IT
BE THAT YOU
WERE WORRIED
ABOUT REN?

HE FELL DOWN
AND REN JUST
HAPPENED TO FIND
HIM AND TOOK HIM
TO THE EMER-
GENCY ROOM.

THE PERSON
WHO BROKE
A BONE AND
IS IN THE
HOSPITAL IS
OUR FORMER
LANDLORD.

EH?



HOW
ABOUT
THIS.

shock

It
was
just
that

NO...
NO...

I WASN'T
WORRIED.



THIS
MONTH
HAS BEEN
REALLY
BUSY.

DID YOU
REALLY
QUIT YOUR
JOB?

IKUYOSHI
SAID HE
WOULD HELP.

DIDN'T
I SAY
BEFORE
THAT I
WANTED
TO OPEN
A CAFE?

BRO YOU
GO GET
HIM!!

WHY DON'T
YOU GO
BRING HIM
HOME.

I HAVE
WORK.

IT SEEMS
LIKE HE'S
AT THE
OLD MAN'S
HOUSE.



IS
THIS

I

BECAUSE
OF THAT?

JUST PRE-
TEND THAT
WHAT I AM
DOING IS FOR
YOU GUYS

BUT ACTU-
ALLY MOST
OF WHAT I
DO IS FOR
MYSELF

AND I AM NOT
A GOOD PERSON
BECAUSE OF US

IT JUST
SHOWS,

CLINK

THAT
YOU'RE
ALSO HIS

OLDER
BROTHER.

ME

WHEN I WAS
THAT AGE
I NEVER
THOUGHT
ABOUT THINGS
LIKE THAT

THAT
BOY,

BUT ..
THAT ...!

TODAY HE
SUDDENLY
SAID, "I WANT
TO WORK TOO".

ISN'T
THAT FUNNY?
AT THE BUS
STOP HE
DOESN'T
EVEN KNOW
WHICH STOP
TO GET OFF
AT

AH!?

HE JUST
LOOKS
AROUND
TOTALLY
LOST

Actually,
I still
think so.

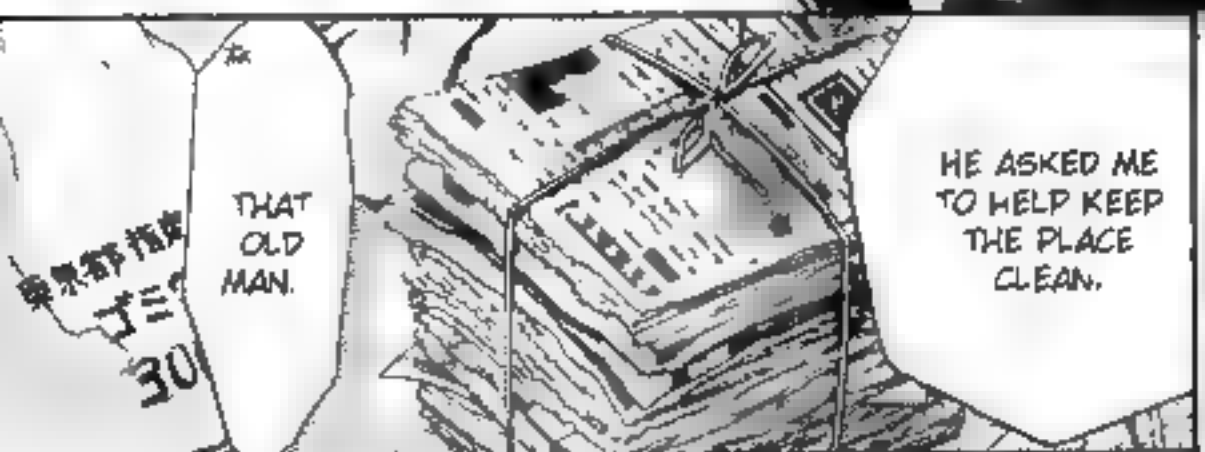
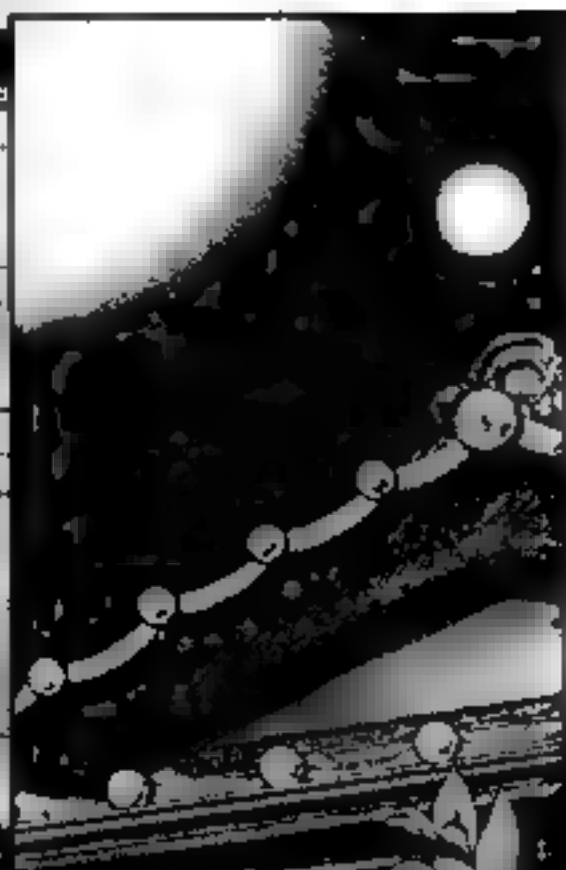
At that time
I thought my
brother who was
only 4 years
older than me
was enormous.





YOU DIDN'T
COME HOME,
WHAT ARE
YOU DOING
AT THE OLD
LANDLORD'S
HOUSE?

AKI,



HE ASKED ME
TO HELP KEEP
THE PLACE
CLEAN.

THAT
OLD
MAN.



YOU,
TODAY DID
YOU TELL
HARU THAT
YOU WANTED
TO WORK?

YEAH.

It's a
meat



I BOUGHT
BENTO, EAT
SOME.

FOR-
GET
IT.

ARE YOU
HUNGRY?



THAT'S
WHAT
I'VE
HEARD

ALSO HARU
HAS NO
OBLIGATION
TO HELP
RAISE ME.

AT THIS
AGE I
CAN
WORK

JAPAN
ONLY HAS
MANDATORY
SCHOOLING
THROUGH
MIDDLE
SCHOOL.

WHY?

IS THAT ONE
DAY HE'D BE
ABLE TO LIVE
TOGETHER WITH
HIS BROTHERS.

HARU'S
DREAM.

IF HARU
HEARD YOU
SAY THAT
HE'D CRY.

THAT
...

I'M

AN
OUTSIDER.

ISN'T THAT
A REALITY
NOW?

LIVE
WITH HIS
BROTHERS.



I JUST WANTED.

HARU IS REALLY WARM AND CARING SO...

TO BE BY HIS SIDE AND FEEL LIKE HOW I DID WHEN I WAS EIGHT YEARS OLD.



SOUNDS NICE.

THAT

HE'D BE LIVING A DEPRAVED LIFE WITH SOME LOOSE WOMAN HE FOUND.

IF OUR IDIOT OLDER BROTHER DIDN'T HAVE US,

AND ALSO...

I CAN IMAGINE.

SINCE THE BEGINNING HE'S NEVER BEEN ABLE TO FIND A NICE GIRL.



WHEN I FIRST CAME TO JAPAN,

I REALLY WANTED TO SEE HARU.

I KEPT THINKING IN MY MIND HOW MUCH I WANTED TO SEE HIM AGAIN.

BECAUSE ...

I DIDN'T KNOW I'D ALREADY BECOME A MEMBER OF THE KAIKOU FAMILY

BOTH HARU AND YOU TWO WEREN'T OKAY WITH IT

WHY ARE ALL
OF US LIKE
THIS...

IT
SEEMS
LIKE

En!?

Aki, you
broke up
with your
girlfriend
again!?

That's
because I'm
always being
harassed by
you.

You've never
dated a girl
for very
long either.

Okay.
Okay.

Shut
up!

It's because
she was
always asking
about Haru.

SHIMA AND
I ARE THE
SAME WAY.

**You're
disgusting!**

Who cares
you can't
control your
feelings.

Actually
three
times if
we're being
accurate.

That girl
was two
times
you.

Because
your
taste in
girls is
awful.

IT'S BEST
THAT YOU
NEVER KNEW
ABOUT THEM.

THAT'S
GOOD.

SORRY I DON'T
KNOW MUCH
ABOUT THESE
THINGS.

SERI-
OUSLY,
THOSE
MEMORIES
COULD MAKE
PEOPLE
CRY.

Brothers who have no
luck with girls.

WEIRD...

EH?

HAVING SOMEONE
LIKE YOU AROUND
HE CAN FINALLY BE
SERIOUS ABOUT
WORK!

IS
THAT
SO?

SINCE YOU'RE
HERE HARU
WON'T BRING
A BUNCH OF
WOMEN HOME.

FORGET IT,
NOW THAT
YOU'RE HERE...

WE CAN
FINALLY LIVE
TOGETHER
HAPPILY.

THAT MORON
PROMISED
TO BUY YOU
A 15,000
YEN RICE
COOKER.

EVEN THOUGH
HARU GETS
PRESENTS
FROM PEOPLE
EVERY DAY, HE
RARELY GIVES
PRESENTS
TO OTHER
PEOPLE

HAHA, HE'S
FINALLY SUFF-
ERING FOR
HIS ACTIONS!

SO, ISN'T
HAVING YOU
AROUND A
GREAT THING?

?

GYAAAAAA
AAAAAAA
AAAAAAA!

AH.

I FORGOT
TO FEED IT.

The
Raccoon

sex: glare





THAT'S
A RACCOON?

ISN'T IT
A POME-
RANIAN?

There are still
people who don't
know what a
Pomeranian is.

OH.

SO IT IS A
RACCOON.

DIDN'T
I TELL
YOU.

IT'S A
RACCOON.

モウ
ツキ

The room
is filled
with danc-
ing cherry
blossoms.

FRESHEN
BROOKE

Waking
up
suddenly

In the
morn-
ing

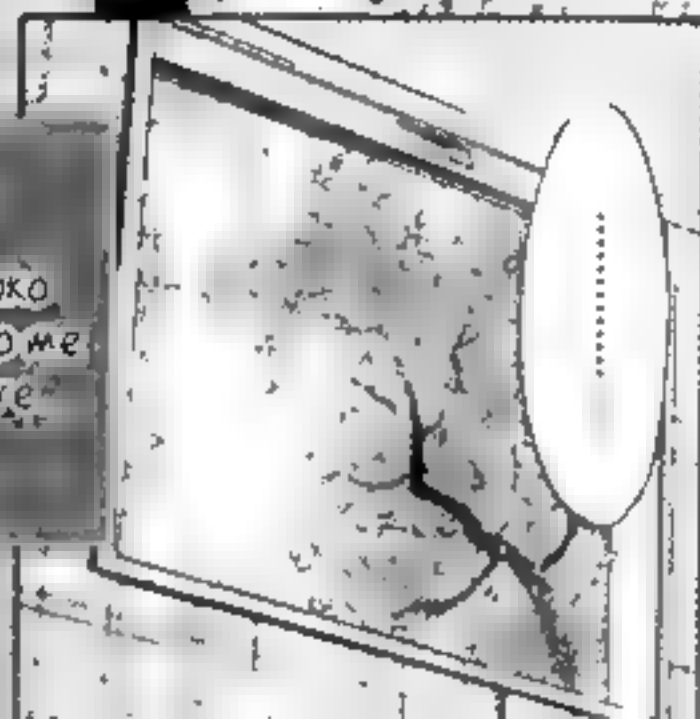
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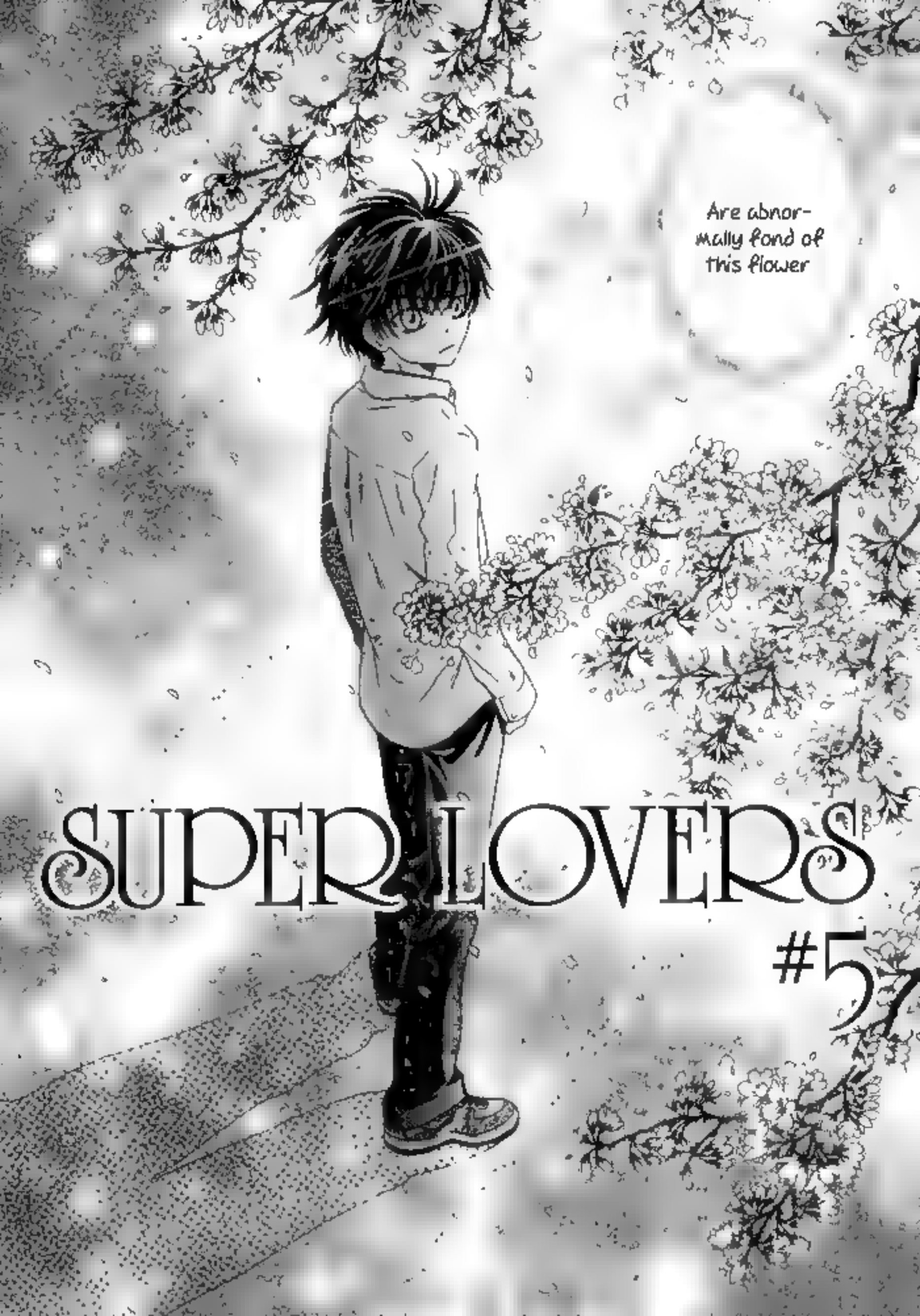


An
Japanese
people

HARUKO
said to me
before

Right
now in a
critical
state.

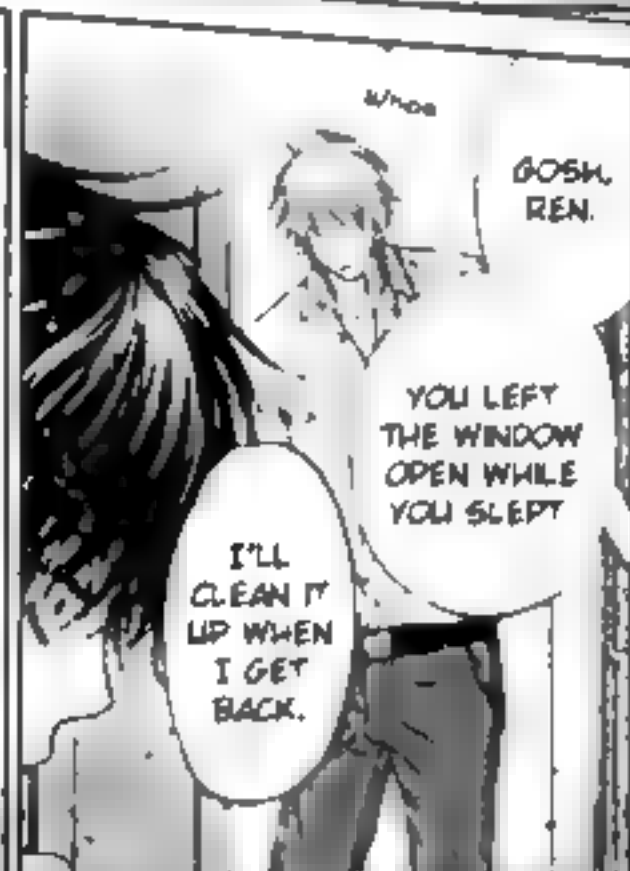
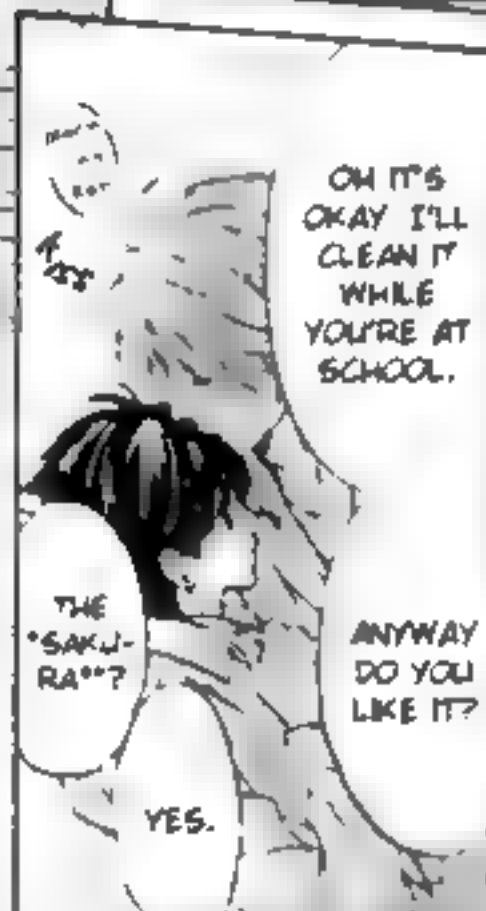




Are abnor-
mally fond of
this flower

SUPER LOVERS

#5



Cherry Blossoms

ISN'T IT BEAUTIFUL?

IT'S LUCKY THAT WE MOVED IN TIME.

I SAID BEFORE, I WANTED YOU TO SEE CHERRY BLOSSOMS.

THE CHERRY BLOSSOMS ARE IN FULL BLOOM IN THE PARK NEXT TO OUR HOUSE, AND YOUR ROOM HAS THE BEST VIEW.



YEAH.



THIS GUY IS SO CONSIDERATE

...

OH, WOW



MORNING, REN



AND YOUR BENTO TOO!

I ALREADY MADE BREAKFAST.

TOO MUCH!

WHEN YOU'RE FINISHED EATING I'LL TAKE YOU TO SCHOOL.



THEY STILL WEAR UNIFORMS WITH MANDARIN COLLARS AT YOUR SCHOOL?

REALLY?

THESE DAYS IT'S UNUSUAL TO SEE THEM.

LAST TIME DIDN'T YOU GET STUCK TRYING TO USE THE AUTOMATIC TICKET MACHINE?

YOU DON'T NEED TO, I'LL TAKE THE SUBWAY

...



YEAH,
THAT'S
RIGHT.

RIGHT NOW
I'M TALKING
WITH IKU
ABOUT OPEN-
ING A COFFEE
SHOP.

OH YEAH HARU,
WHAT KIND OF
SHOP ARE YOU
TRYING TO
OPEN? SOME
KIND OF RES-
TAURANT?

Th skid
really
speaks
terrible
Japanese.



SIX? YOU
REALLY
WANT TO
DO THAT?

AREN'T MOST
OF THE CUS-
TOMERS HERE
HOUSEWIVES
OR OLD
PEOPLE?

IF WE CLOSE
TOO LATE I
WON'T HAVE
TIME TO MAKE
DINNER.

ANYWAY,
I WANT TO
CLOSE
THE SHOP
AT SIX

THAT'S
A GOOD
THING.



YOU'RE
REALLY
CAREFREE
ABOUT
MANAGE-
MENT.

THERE
WILL BE A
DIFFERENT
MANAGER
FOR THAT.

IT'LL BE
ALRIGHT

AT NIGHT WE
PLAN TO
TURN IT INTO
A BAR.



WEARING
THAT KIND OF
UNIFORM YOU
LOOK LIKE A
CHINESE
STUDENT...

HE
HE
HE
...

SHIMA AND
I ARE TWINS,
BUT AT THE
TIME WE WERE
YOUR AGE THERE
WAS ALREADY
A HEIGHT DIF-
FERENCE BE-
TWEEN US.

Why are
you bring-
ing that
up now,
dumbass.

I
ACTUALLY
REALLY
LIKE THIS
KIND OF
UNIFORM.
♡

AND WITH
REN WEAR-
ING IT
I THINK
IT'S REALLY
IRRESIST-
ABLY AT-
TRACTION.

Shut
up,
per-
vert!





What kind of a person taru is but

want to understand

REN?

You'll be late for school.

WHAT'S WRONG? HURRY UP AND GET IN THE CAR.



SFX: VROOM

How does that sound? Please?

OKAY, OKAY SORRY

I REFUSED IT ONCE BUT THEN SHE WANTED TO GIVE ME AN APARTMENT...

AHHH!

AND IT WAS THE LAST TIME WE WERE TOGETHER SO I DIDN'T HAVE A CHOICE, I FIGURED IT'D BE BETTER JUST TO ACCEPT IT

RE-
STRAIN
YOUR-
SELF,
PLEASE.

I know it isn't something I should be mad about

IT WAS A FAREWELL GIFT FROM WHEN I QUIT BEING A HOST.

.. WELL ..

..WHAT'S WITH THIS CAR?

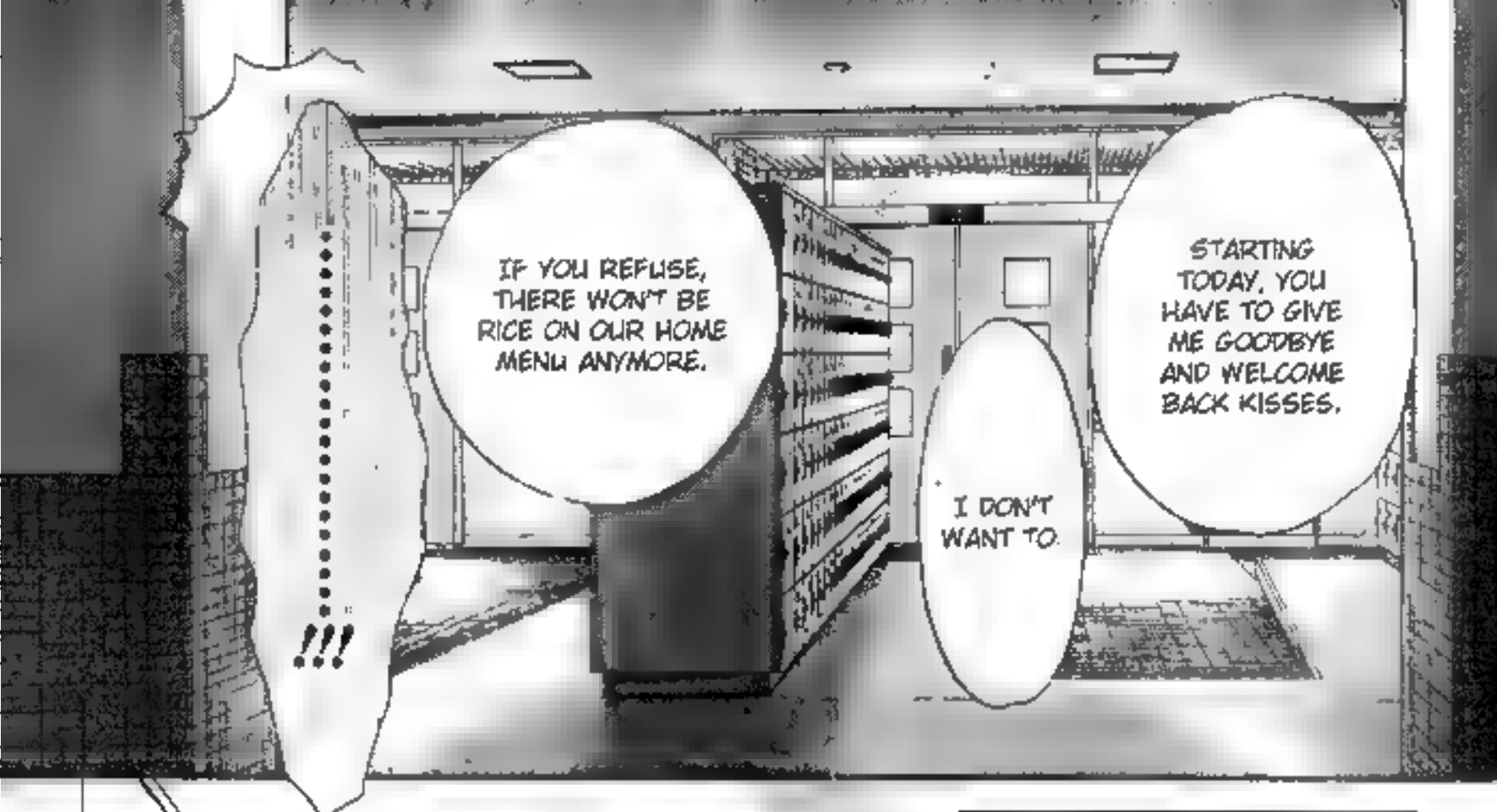
Jolt

...WO-
MEN!



But I'm
still really
angry!







YOU DON'T
LIKE IT I
WANT TO
DO IT AGAIN

BECAUSE

I DON'T
WANT YOU
TO HATE ME

WHY
WOULD
I HATE
IT?

I'VE NEVER
THOUGHT
THAT EVEN
ONCE

IT'S
NOT LIKE
THAT

AND FOR
SOMEONE
YOUR AGE
A GIRL IS
BETTER



100

HM?

HARU

...RE-
ALLY?

I'M
GOING.

GOOD
BOY.

OKAY.

I'LL COME
PICK
YOU UP

CALL ME
WHEN
SCHOOL'S
OVER.





I SAID
YOUR NAME
A COUPLE
TIMES AND
YOU DIDN'T
ANSWER, DO
YOU HAVE
A HEARING
PROBLEM?!

IT'S
KUROSAKI.
KUROSAKI
JUJZEN!

I'VE BEEN
SITTING
BEHIND YOU
FOR THREE
DAYS AND
YOU'RE STILL
ASKING
WHO I AM?

Who
are
you?



THE OLDER
FOREIGNER
GUY FROM
THIS
MORNING.

YOU
SHOULD
CALL ME
REN, I
STILL
HAVEN'T
GOTTEN
USED TO
THE LAST
NAME.

AH,
NO.

HUH?

DID YOUR
PARENTS
REMARRY?

HUH?

ANYWAY,
IT'S THE
SAME WITH
ME I JUST
STARTED
USING
KUROSAKI
THIS YEAR.

NO, IT'S
A LITTLE
DIFFER-
ENT...

I'M NOT
USED TO
THE SUR-
NAME, AND
NOT TO
TOKYO YET
EITHER.

BY THE
WAY...

WAS HE
YOUR BOY-
FRIEND?



WEREN'T WE TALKING ABOUT HARU?

?

Are you really trying to change the topic of this conversation?

You...



HUH?

HARU'S JAPANESE ACTUALLY.

IF HE'S A NATIVE JAPANESE THAN I'M A KOKESHI DOLL*.

WHO'S HARUKO?

NO THAT'S NOT RIGHT. I THINK IT'S HARUKO WHO SHOULD BE MIXED RACE.

*Handmade dolls from wood that lack arms or legs.



HE USUALLY DOESN'T KISS ME IN THESE KINDS OF PLACES.

IT'S NOTHING, I JUST SAW YOU TWO KISSING NEXT TO THE SCHOOL'S SHOE LOCKERS. YOU MUST HAVE A GREAT RELATIONSHIP

WHAT ABOUT HIM?

THAT GUY'S NAME IS HARU?



YOU TWO LIVE TOGETHER?

Yeah.

HE'S ALWAYS BEEN REALLY ANNOYING LIKE THIS.

AT HOME.

....THEN WHERE DOES HE USUALLY DO IT?



?

tremble tremble

A second year student already living together with a man?

Quiver Quiver

PEOPLE FROM TOKYO ARE EVEN MORE BIZARRE THAN I IMAGINED..

AND HIS EXPRESSION LIKE THERE'S NOTHING WEIRD ABOUT THIS

What's with this total honesty?



Haru's
"love"
and my
"love"...

LOVEY-
DUEY??

ANYWAY
FORGET
IT I WAS
JUST
BEING
STUPID

THERE'S
NOTHING
WRONG
WITH TWO
PEOPLE
BEING
LOVEY-
DUEY
TO EACH
OTHER

BEING IN
LOVE AND
BEING HAPPY
TOGETHER IS
A BEAUTIFUL
THING

Are
com-
pletely
differ-
ent.

I'M

I'M NOT SURE
IF WE'RE
HAPPY TO-
GETHER.

LO UNTIL
NOW



Are you
trying to
make every-
one in Kansai
hate you?

Stupid
easterner.

you ..

...Ah,
a coun-
tryside
dialect.

RIGHT NOW
MY MISSION IS
TO PROCEED
THROUGH THE
AUTOMATIC
TICKET GATE
WITHOUT
INCIDENT.

ANYWAY
I'LL THINK
ABOUT
THE CLUB
ACTIVITY
LATER

And
also the
escalator

IN THE
DEEP
MOUNT-
AINS,

UNTIL
NOW WHAT
KIND OF
A COUN-
TRYSIDE
DID YOU
LIVE IN?

NEAR THE
ROCKY
MOUNTAINS.

WERE YOU
PLANNING
ON COMING
HOME
ALONE?

DIDN'T I TELL
YOU TO CALL ME
WHEN CLASSES
WERE OVER?

REN?

HEHE,
BECAUSE
I CAN
SEE YOU

WHY WOULD
YOU KNOW I'M
GOING HOME
RIGHT NOW?

WHAT
RUCKY
MOUNT-
AINS?

IN
YAMA-
NASHI?

HUH?



YOU
HAVEN'T
MADE IT
HOME
YET

WEL-
COME
BACK,
REN.
♡

THAT'S A
SHAME.



I JUST
WANT TO
BE WITH
REN.

I KNOW,
I KNOW

I'M
NOT A
CHILD!

WHAT, I JUST
CAME BECAUSE
I WAS WORRIED
ABOUT YOU.

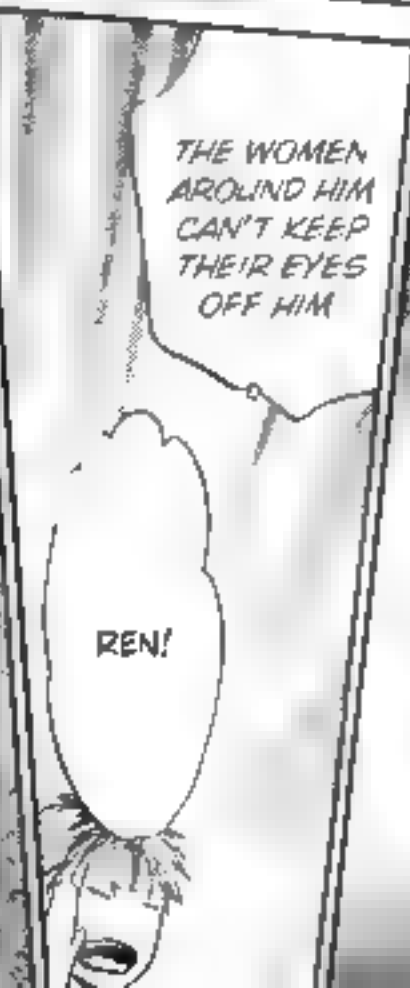
YOU'RE
MAKING A
SCENE!

DON'T
COME
HERE
JUST
FOR
THIS.



LET ME SEE
YOUR CELL
PHONE FOR
A SECOND.

WHAT
IS IT?



THE WOMEN
AROUND HIM
CAN'T KEEP
THEIR EYES
OFF HIM

REN!



If it's really like
Ren said his
guy is going to
be a hard oppo-
nent to beat.

Okay,
okay,
okay

Don't
touch me



HA!

KUROSAKI
JUJZEN
WAS IT

A
FRIEND?

I'LL RE-
MEMBER
IT TOO.

KUROSAKI
JUJZEN IS
IN THE SAME
CLASS AS ME

HIS WAY OF
SPEAKING IS A
BIT STRANGE
AND ACTUALLY THE
WAY HE ACTS IS
STRANGE TOO BUT
I DON'T THINK HE'S
A BAD PERSON.

COMING
FROM YOU
THAT'S A
COMPLI-
MENT

i got the
blueprints
and interior
design for
the shop.
would
you come
chee-

Haru-san
are you
home?

AH.

Stax
Eattle III

WHAT IS
IT IKU?
A COCK-
ROACH?

AAAAAAAAA



ISN'T THIS
REALLY
NORMAL?

BUT RENREN
AND HARU-SAN'S
FLIRTING GAMES
AREN'T VERY
GOOD FOR MY
BLOOD PRES-
SURE AND YOU
SHOULD BE
MORE CONSIDER-
ATE OF OTHER
PEOPLE

OH IT'S
NOTHING

I JUST
HAD HAN
K AS ME

HUH?

WHAT?

glance

BETWEEN TWO
BROTHERS.

DON'T
PLAY
DUMB!



I'M GOING
TO GO
CHANGE
CLOTHES.

OH REN,
HARU
YOU'RE
BOTH
BACK.

DON'T
YOU HAVE
TUTORING
TO DO
TODAY?

SHIMA.



AKI'S
AT HOME
TOO.

THEY WERE
BUSY WITH
OTHER
THINGS SO I
DIDN'T GO.

WHAT?

IKU,
YOU'RE
SO
LOUD!



BECAUSE
IT'S HARU.

We should
blame it
on Ren

YEAH,
IT'S
REALLY
NORMAL.

Yup

!



SO YOU
SEE THESE
TWO
ARE DEFINITELY...

YEAH

Only when we
moved away did
Haru finally stop
doing that

Yeah when we
were younger
Haru was the
that to us too

YEP,
WE WERE
DEFINITELY
LIKE THAT.

BUT AT
THIS AGE
HOW COULD
YOU LIKE IT?



Foreigners!

Definitely...

CANADA



IN THE MORN-
ING IT WAS SO
CLEAR THAT
THE HOUSE
WAS FILLED
WITH CHERRY
BLOSSOMS



WHY
THEY'VE
ALL BEEN
CLEANED
UP





BUT
EXACTLY

THE ROOM
I WANTED +
MORE
THAN
A ROOM

HOW LONG DO
THESE CHERRY
BLOSSOMS STAY
IN BLOOM?

"Isn't it
beautiful?"



knock
knock

...REN?



I'M GETTING
READY TO
GO TO IKU'S
TOWN.

BECAUSE
THE SHOP
IS ALMOST
READY TO
OPEN.

SORRY,
IT'S STILL
REALLY
EARLY.

HARU?



...DON'T
NAG ME
ABOUT
THINGS!

kiss

I'M
LEAV-
ING.

BE CAREFUL
GOING WITH
THE AUTO-
MATIC TICKET
MACHINE.

CAN YOU
JUST
LEAVE
ALREADY!

WATCH OUT
FOR SEXUAL
PREDATORS.



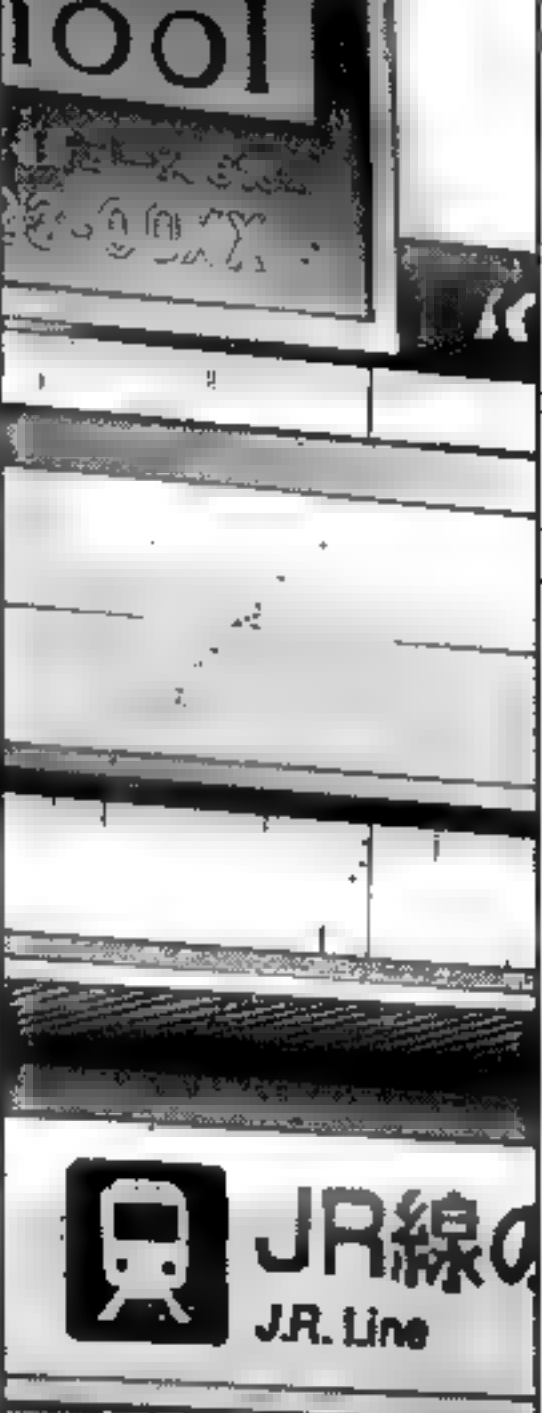
...
YEAH.

TODAY I WON'T
BE ABLE TO
TAKE YOU
TO SCHOOL.
WILL YOU BE
OKAY GOING BY
YOURSELF?

BREAK-
FAST AND
YOUR
BENTO IS
ALREADY
ON THE
TABLE.

OKAY.

I'LL BE
BACK
BEFORE
DINNER.





Haa
Haa
Haa

OH HAA, AND
YOU HAVE THE
LAUGH OF A KING
THE HAA

THE
HAA
THE
HAA
THE
HAA
THE
HAA
THE
HAA

AND
A SHIT OF A
CAR
THE HAA
THE HAA
THE HAA

AND ALSO
YOU CALL
ME EVERY
SINGLE DAY.

NO MATTER
HOW YOU
LOOK AT IT,
FROM TOKYO
TO CHIBA IS
NOT THAT
FAR AWAY

BECAUSE I'M SO
SO WORRIED THAT
YOU'RE CAUSING
TROUBLE FOR
HARU-CHAN.

HA
HA
HA.

I'M THE ONE
WHO SPENDS
ALL DAY
TAKING CARE
OF HARU AND
WORRYING
ABOUT HIM!

HARU-
SAN
LET'S
GO
BACK.

THERE'LL
BE TRAF-
FIC JAMS
LATER.

CAN YOU
TALK LIKE
THAT TO
YOUR MOM
WHO YOU
HAVEN'T
SEEN IN SO
LONG?

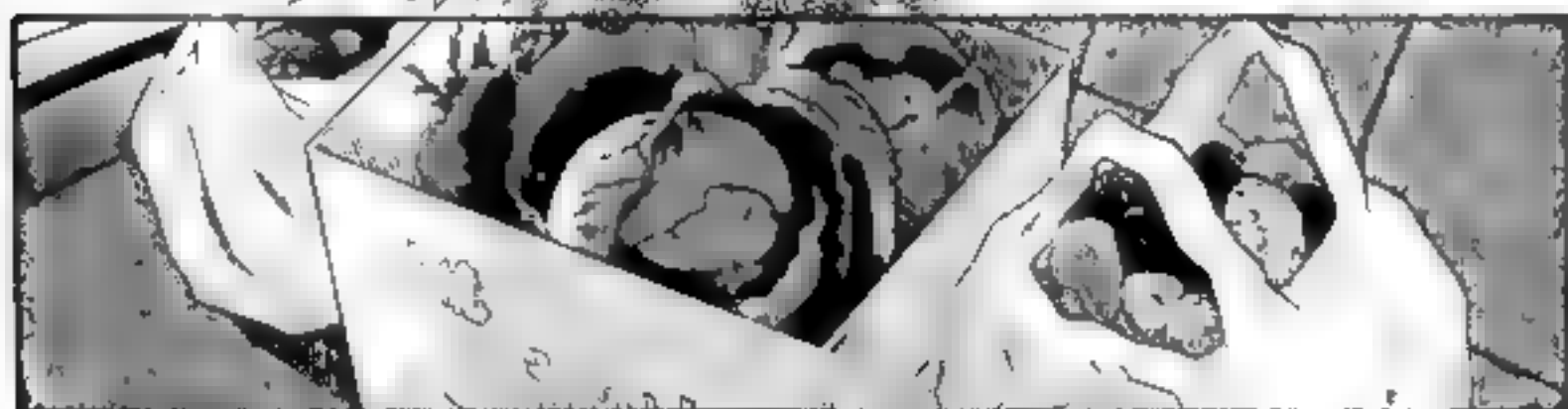
YOU
...

I CAN'T SINCE
I LIVE WITH
MY YOUNGER
BROTHERS
NOW. NEXT
TIME.

FOR SUMMER
BREAK YOU
SHOULD
BRING THEM
ALL BY

HARU HAS
SO MANY
YOUNG
BROTHERS,
IT MUST BE
DIFFICULT.

COM-
PARED
TO HIM
YOUR
LIFE IS
VERY
EASY
IKU



TO COME TO THE
COUNTRYSIDE JUST
TO EXPERIENCE
FARMING AND THEN
TO TALK ABOUT WHAT
A HAPPY LIFE IT IS,
OF ALL MY MOST
FRIENDS ONLY YOU
WOULD DO THAT.

YOUR MOM
AND DAD ARE
SO GENEROUS
IT'S IMPOSSI-
BLE NOT TO
LIKE THEM.



I GOT
LOTS OF
VEGETA-
BLES!





BUT AFTER
I STARTED
LIVING ALONE
FOR SOME
REASON I
STOPPED
COOKING.

I'VE
PROBABLY
BEEN DOING
HOUSEWORK
EVER SINCE
I WAS A
CHILD.

AFTER I
CAME TO
JAPAN MY
PARENTS
WERE
ALWAYS
WORKING.

And also
I had my
two younger
brothers.

HARU-SAN,
HAVE YOU
ALWAYS
LIKED TO
MAKE FOOD
THIS MUCH?

Of
course
Do you
even
have to
ask?

WHAT
SHOULD I
MAKE FOR
DINNER
TONIGHT?

IKU,
ARE YOU
GOING TO
EAT WITH
US?

IT SEEMS
LIKE WHEN
YOU WERE
WORKING
YOU ALWAYS
ATE OUT



Under-
stood.

HE'S REALLY
SENSITIVE
ABOUT IT SO
DON'T MENTION
THIS IN FRONT
OF OTHER
PEOPLE.

BUT, COM-
PARED TO
OTHER BOYS
HIS AGE
HE'S STILL
SHORT

HE'S AT A
GROWTH
SPURT AND
IS EATING
ALL THE
TIME.

IT CHANGED
AFTER I
STARTED
LIVING WITH
REN.

EVEN
THOUGH IT
WAS ONLY
A COLD.

IT WAS
REALLY OBLI-
VIOUS BECAUSE
IN CANADA HE
NEVER ONCE
GOT SICK.

LAST YEAR
WHEN WE
HAD JUST
COME TO
JAPAN,

HE GOT
SICK
TWICE.



?

HARU-
SAN?



BUT REN
NEVER COM-
PLAINED
ABOUT IT

AND EVEN THOUGH
EVERYDAY I LEFT
EARLY AND CAME
BACK LATE, HE ALSO
WOKE UP TO WATCH
ME LEAVE AND
WAITED FOR ME TO
COME BACK IN THE
END I THINK.

...AH.



BASH-
CALLY

YOU'RE
PLANNING
TO START A
RESTAURANT
NEXT TO THE
HOUSE.

SO



IF YOU
THINK
LIKE
THIS...

WHOA!
Look at
the road!
The road!

IF REN DOESN'T
GET ANY TALLER
I THINK IT'S
BECAUSE OF THE
HARM I DID.

LISTEN
TO ME
IKU,



AT THAT
TIME WE'D
JUST AR-
RIVED TO
JAPAN.

IT ALSO
WASN'T
LONG
BEFORE
HE RAN A
FEVER.



I WAS ALSO
REALLY BUSY
WITH MY JOB
AS A HOST.

BACK THEN I
MADE HIM EAT
CONVENIENCE
STORE BENTO
EVERY DAY.



HE'S
ALSO MY
TREAS-
URED
HONEY!
♡

IT'S NOT
JUST THAT
HE'S MY
YOUNGER
BROTHER.

...OKAY,
SO

RENREN IS
HARU-SAN'S
PRECIOUS LITTLE
BROTHER. I UN-
DERSTAND THIS
VERY CLEARLY.

I'M
CONFI-
DENT
THAT I
COULD
BEAT
HER.
♡

IF IT'S
A GIRL
THAT'S
NO
PROB-
LEM!

IF ONE DAY
HE BRINGS
HOME A GIRL
WHAT ARE YOU
GOING TO DO?

IT'S LIKE
WHAT YOU
SAID, REN IS
JUST A HIGH
SCHOOL
STUDENT.

I DON'T
KNOW
WHERE TO
START
WITH YOU

Where
does this
confidence
come from?

Could it be
that you've
already done
something
with Ren?

ha
ha
ha
ha

what a
joke!

Who would
have those
kinds of
improper
thoughts
about
Ren?

REN IS
REALLY
CUTE,
RIGHT?

IF YOU
MAKE A
MOVE ON
HIM I'LL
KILL YOU.

ARE YOU
BEING SERI-
OUS RIGHT
NOW?



He's the
kind of kid
you could
never have
improper
thoughts
about!

...Well
sorry.

I...





BROTHER'S
EXPRESSION WHILE
HE COOKED DINNER,
IT'S AS THOUGH
HE IS HEAVILY
BURDENED WITH
A CROSS.

They are
a lot's
favor to

WHAT'S
THIS?

TONIGHT'S
DINNER IS
REALLY
LAVISH.

AH.

SO THAT HE
UNDERSTANDS
HOW MUCH HE
IS. LOVED

FORGET
IT.
SOME-
TIMES HE
SHOULD.

EXPERI-
ENCE SUCH
EMOTIONS.

REN ?



AND
THERE'S
STRAWBER-
RIES YOU
LOVE THEM
RIGHT ?

I COOKED
YOUR FA-
VORITE
DISHES

KNOCK
KNOCK

DINNER IS
READY..

REN.. ?

THE

SIL

ENCE

DO
YOU

LIKE THE
CHERRY
BLOSSOMS
AS WELL?

I ADDED
COOL
RAPESEED
OIL IN THE
BAMBOO
RICE!

IT WILL BE
FINISHED
SOON IF
YOU DON'T
COME OUT
NOW.. !?

Let
them
Finish
it.



HE REJECTED
MY LUNCHBOX
AND ESCORT
TO SCHOOL!

AH. AH
STILL
SIGHING!

IS
RENREN
STILL
MAD?

IT HAS BEEN
FIVE DAYS
SINCE HE
LAST SPOKE
TO ME...

THEN
WORK

Sigh

HERE'S
THE SHOW'S
LAST ACT



I SHOULD
BEAR SOME
RESPONSIBIL-
ITY OVER THIS
AS WELL .

ACTU-
ALLY.

OKAY?

IF THAT'S
THE CASE THEN
LET'S KNEEL
AND BEG FOR
FORGIVENESS
TOGETHER

Renren
is scary!

HE WILL BE
EVEN ANGRIER
IF WE DO
THAT SO NO!

Hey, are
you plan-
ning to
avoid re-
ality!?

I wonder
if he will
walk the
dog with
me...

That
affects
my life as
well

You don't
see this
everyday

HOW
RARE.

FOR SOMEONE
WHO ALWAYS
BRINGS A LUNCH
BOX, YOU'RE
HERE IN THE
CAFETERIA
TODAY

They can pay using cards in the school cafeteria.

I DON'T THINK SO.

TOH!

SO YOU GREW UP LIKE A YOUNG MASTER IN YOUR FAMILY HUH.

I HAVE YET TO GET INTO THE HABIT OF USING CASH.

ALTHOUGH THE CAFETERIA'S FOOD IS ALRIGHT, IT'S TOO PRICEY

NONE OF YOUR BUSINESS.

TRUE...

IS THAT SO?

SHE DIDN'T EVEN ATTEND MY GRADUATION CEREMONY

SHE WOULDN'T GIVE ME FOOD ALLOWANCE, EVEN AFTER I GRADUATED FROM MIDDLE SCHOOL.

BEFORE MY MOM REMARRIED AND MOVED TO TOKYO, SHE WAS CONSTANTLY WORRYING ABOUT MONEY.

THEN YOU ARE A YOUNG MASTER.

..BUT REN,

IS THAT SO, YOU ARE MATURED.

...I CAN FEEL HOW MUCH I AM LOVED.

DON'T YOU FEEL LONELY?

THERE AREN'T MANY PEOPLE WHO NOTICE SUCH THINGS.



BUT MOM IS
REALLY TOUGH,
SHE MANAGED
TO RETURN ALL
THE LOAN WITHIN
THE TIME LIMIT!

EVEN WHEN
THE SITUATION
BECAME UN-
BEARABLE, SHE
WOULD ONLY
SAY, "IT'S
FINE".



THAT
IS...

hah
hah
hah
I CAN'T
IMAGINE
HOW IT
WOULD FEEL
TO HAVE A
BROTHER
15 YEARS
YOUNGER
THAN ME.

NEXT YEAR
HER OTHER
CHILD WILL
BE BORN!

BACK THEN DAD
BORROWED A
LUMP SUM OF
MONEY AND
DISAPPEARED.

I USED
TO BE
LONELY.

BECAUSE OF
THAT, EVERYDAY
THERE WERE
PEOPLE WHO
CAME KNOCKING
AND SHOUTING
FOR MONEY

WHEN MOM
DECIDED TO
REMARRY,
SHE DIDN'T
TELL ME ABOUT
IT EITHER.



IS
THAT
SO?

YOU WON'T
EVER FEEL
ALONE
AGAIN.

JUST LIKE
WHAT YOU
SAID PREVI-
OUSLY,



THERE AREN'T
MANY PEOPLE
WHO NOTICE
SUCH THINGS
AND YOU ARE
ONE OF THEM.



SOMEONE
WHO

WILL NOT
HESITATE TO
LET YOU HOLD
HIS HAND.

To speak and
look at me
in the eye
with such
seriousness
and equality.

We are
already
friends.
aren't we?

Eat more
and you'll
grow
taller...!

REN!

YOU LOVE
FRIED FOOD
RIGHT?!

THIS IS
YOURS!

WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING!?

Gya...

Those who
do not need
to be com-
passionate
towards me

also do not
need encour-
agement to
be tough and
patient.

Get your
dirty hands
off my
holy food!

But...

What?
If you're a
man, you've
got to eat
meat!



AH, AH
THE
CHERRY
BLOS-
SOMS?

IT'S...

CHERRY
BLOSSOMS
BLOOM IN
HASTE AND
THEY LEAVE
IN HASTE
TOO.

LEFT WITH
ONLY
LEAVES.



ALTHOUGH
WE DON'T
GROW
RICE, BUT
WE HAVE
STRAW-
BERRIES
THOUGH.

RIGHT?!

WHAT
BEAUTIFUL
STRAW-
BERRIES.

For my
family
to eat

RENREN I
HEARD YOU
LOVE THEM!
♡



Ah!



WHAT'S
WRONG,
REN?

IF YOU'RE
TOO FULL,
I CAN
HELP YOU
FINISH IT

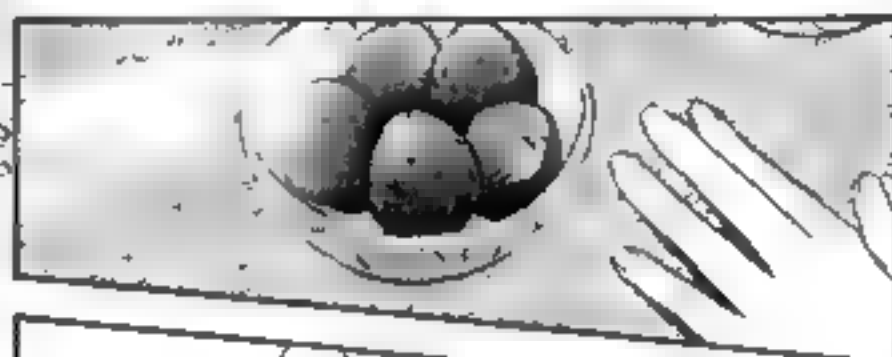
It is only after-
wards that you
will only realize
how you have
been preciously
treated.

SEX-BAM!



AKI...!

I DIDN'T
SAY
THAT...



No
way!

Give
me
one

IT'S
OUT

IKU,

IS THE PRICE
TENDER FOR
INTERNAL
DEPARTMENT'S
RENOVATION
OUT YET?









PUSH

Softly
Kestle

LIKE THIS..

AND SEDUCE THEM

JUST LIKE WHAT YOU'RE DOING RIGHT NOW

TO SNEAK INTO SOMEONE'S BED AT NIGHT ..



IT'S LEFT WITH ONLY LEAVES, YOU WILL NEED TO WAIT TILL NEXT YEAR FOR IT TO BLOSSOM.

NN.

THE CHERRY BLOSSOMS THEY HAVE WITHERED AWAY

HM...?

HARU..

THEN.



Because

I said something like that?

hah



HOW MUCH LONGER DO I HAVE

TO SLEEP ALONE IN THAT ROOM?

YOU'VE
BEEN
HOLDING
BACK?

YOU HAVE
ALWAYS
WANTED
TO COME
HERE?

(chuckle)

HARU?

YES.

YES

I KNOW
I AM AN
UNATTRAC-
TIVE KID

WE HAVE BEEN
SLEEPING IN
THE SAME
ROOM SINCE WE
STARTED STAY-
ING TOGETHER.

RIGHT.

SORRY
ABOUT
THAT!

NO,
I'M
SORRY
REN.

stc
hug

THANK
YOU FOR
COMING
HERE.

I AM THE
ONE WHO
COULD NOT
HOLD BACK.

LIAR.

I'M NOT
LYING



! YOU HAVE EXPERIENCED SOMETHING SIMILAR RIGHT, REN?

BECAUSE IT'S PRECIOUS. THAT'S WHY I DARE NOT MAKE A MOVE.



I CANNOT STAND IT WHEN SOMEONE SNATCHED IT AWAY FROM ME.

SO FROM TODAY ON-WARDS I WILL FINISH THEM IN ONE GO!



IT WILL BE WASTEFUL TO FINISH THEM ALL AT ONCE.

UM... PROBABLY...

BUT I...

I SEE.



JUST LIKE THE STRAW-BERRIES.

STRAW-BERRIES?



...HONESTLY WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT!?



Wah it hurts!

grab



I was moved
by it the
first time
I came to
Japan.

I really like the
shiny Japanese
strawberries
which are culti-
vated in the
greenhouse!

But...

They are
nothing
compared

to the
taste of
the berries
that Ren
plucked
for me
back then.



REN
HASN'T
WAKEN
UP
EITHER.

STILL
SLEEPING.
HOW
RARE.

MORNING
!

IT'S FINE.
IT'S A
WEEKEND
ANYWAY.
WHAT DOES
IT MATTER?

EH?
WHERE
IS HARU-
SAN?



AH I THINK
BROTHER
WOKE UP?

SO THAT IS
THE REASON
YOU'VE BEEN
COMING OVER
OFTEN THESE
DAYS!

THAT'S
TOO
MUCH.

I PURPOSELY
COME HERE
WITH AN EMPTY
STOMACH.

BECAUSE
HARU-SAN
ALWAYS
PREPARE MY
SHARE YA.

STOP
SAYING,
"YA"!



MORN-
ING
EVERY-
ONE





well I sup-
pose in a
way, that is
the case

It's a
one-sided
um

HN...

WHAT
STUB-
BOR-
NESS



HE ACTU-
ALLY PEED
ON MY
BED THIS
MORNING

WE NEED
TO TEACH
HIM POTTY
TRAINING.

ME AND
REN HAD TO
TAKE A BATH
BECAUSE
OF THAT!

I SAY
...



DO PEOPLE
EVEN TRAIN
RACCOONS?

Raccoon?

UM. .



Still
extre-
mely

insig-
nifi-
cant

WE HAVE
NEVER
FOUGHT TO
BEGIN WITH.

It's
a dog,
isn't
it?

THE ANIMAL
THAT RENREN
IS HUGGING

IS NOT A
RACCOON,
RIGHT?

Huh!?

But it really looks
like a raccoon.

SUPER LOVERS #6



THAT'S
A REAL
RACCOON.

LOOK,

REN.



MAYBE
THE DOG
IN OUR
HOUSE
ISN'T A
RACCOON.

SORRY
REN,

Raccoon?

.....
.....
.....
.....
.....IT
LOOKS LIKE
THE FUR
COLOR IS A
LITTLE BIT...

DIFFER-
ENT ..

Almost the
same as a
raccoon



THE WAY YOU
KEEP ACTING
STRANGE IS
KIND OF UP-
SETTING.

BUT
THEY BOTH
BELONG TO
THE SAME
BREED OF
DOG,

SO THEIR
APPEAR-
ANCE IS
BASICALLY
THE SAME

SAY
SOME-
THING.

身近にいること
無文化圏の周辺に
で 当国で行った
もの目撃例が寄せられ
子
メー、長く住む場所を利用し
へくましく生きて、もようです。この
猫のタヌキも、2009年5月北埼玉
後わずか数ヶ月のうちに保護されました。
タヌキ
タヌキ、タヌキ、タヌキといひます。



SUPER LOVERS

#6



I'VE BEEN THE
ONE WHO
WAS IN THE
BATH IN THE
JANITOR
LATER ON
IT'S PROBABLY
BECAUSE I HAD
TO GO TO
A BATH
AND I WAS

ANNOYED

ANIMAL
AND
EARTH
SHELLS

BEING
BATH
MEMORIES
FOR THE
BATH

THAT'S
NOT
TRUE!



HA HA
BATH



I DON'T
DIE
THAT THIS
MEMORY
HAD A LIL



I DECIDED
TO HAVE
HERE AFTER
I FOUND
OUT THERE
WAS A LIL
I DON'T
FOR THE



I'VE
BEEN
SLEEPY
GETTING
USED
TO IT

BUT
A LIL



HAPPY



IT'S BEEN
ABOUT A
YEAR SINCE
I'VE MOVED
FROM CANADA
TO JAPAN

I REALLY
MISS THE
LIFE I HAD
THERE



WHAT
DO YOU
CARE!?

BUT YOU
ALWAYS CUT
THEM TOO
SHORT.

THE HELL.
I CAN TAKE
CARE OF
CUTTING
NAILS OR
WHATEVER
BY MYSELF.

HOW

WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING?

ONCE IN A
WHILE WE
SHOULD GO
BACK AND
VISIT SINCE
ROB AND
THE DOGS
ARE WAITING
FOR US.



I've been
living with
Haru for
a year.

IT LOOKS
REALLY
PAINFUL,
SO I DON'T
LIKE IT

Ths...

OKAY?



...NN?

AFTER WE
GET BACK
HOME, I'LL
HELP YOU
CUT THEM.

YOUR
NAILS ARE
REALLY
LONG.

His smile
makes
people
crazy and
his actions
are really
over-
protective.

Recently, I've
finally realized
that this is his
real self that
he doesn't let
many people see.

REN,

OTHERWISE IT'S
GOING TO THINK
THAT "TANUKI"
IS ACTUALLY
ITS NAME

WE CAN SAY
FOR SURE THAT
THE DOG IN OUR
HOUSE IS DEFIN-
ITELY NOT A
RACCOON.

SO YOU SHOULD
GO AND TALK
WITH JII-SAN
ABOUT GIVING IT
A NEW NAME.

IT'S
ALREADY
TOO LATE.

...IS
IT?



WHAT'S
WRONG?
IS IT
SOMEONE
CLOSE TO
YOU?

Ah!

HEY BRO,
WHERE
ARE YOU?

HELLO?

OKAY.

AFTER WE
GET HOME
YOU SHOULD
TAKE HIM
OUT FOR
A WALK.

I'M HEADING
BACK RIGHT
NOW LET
HER INTO
THE HOUSE
AND ENTER-
TAIN HER
FOR A BIT

Huh?

I'M
REALLY
SORRY
AKI.

WE'RE
STILL
IN THE
NEIGH-
BOR-
HOOD

I'M AT
THE ZOO
WITH REN.

SHE
ONLY SAID
"KIYOKA"
AND THAT
YOU'D
UNDER-
STAND

THERE'S
A WEIRD
WOMAN
AT OUR
HOUSE.

IF THAT'S
NOT
ENOUGH
EXERCISE
THEN I'M
NOT SURE
WHAT TO
DO...

BRO-
THER'S
GIRL-
FRIEND?

WHAT!?

LET HER INTO
THE HOUSE ..
SEEMS LIKE
IT'S SOMEONE
HE'S PRETTY
CLOSE TO.

THAT ASS-
HOLE! HE
JUST HUNG
UP ON ME!

BRO!?

WAIT...

WHO
ARE
YOU TO
TALK
ABOUT
HIM!?

I CAN'T
REALLY SAY
THAT. FOR
A LONG TIME
HE'S THOUGHT
THAT WO-
MEN WERE
STRANGE.

Bro sud-
denly swings
that way!?



You're late!

WHO KNOWS!

EH?

KYO!
I'M
REALLY
SORRY.

YOUR TWIN
BROTHERS ARE
COMPLETELY
AGAINST LET-
TING ME IN THE
HOUSE!

WHY
ARE YOU
SITTING
ON THE
PORCH?

I FORGOT
THAT YOU
WERE
COMING.



HARU WAS ALWAYS TALKING ABOUT YOU TWO NONSTOP I WAS SO SICK OF HEARING ABOUT YOU BUT NOW IT'S REALLY HARD FOR ME TO FORGET

HOW-
EVER.



OH... THESE TWO PEOPLE ARE MY YOUNGER BROTHERS.

I KNEW FROM BEFORE. YOU TWO ARE THE TWINS AKI AND SHIMA, RIGHT?

HARU AND I WERE CLASSMATES IN HIGH-SCHOOL

Something like that



IS THIS REALLY SOMEONE YOU KNOW?

I'VE BEEN HERE BEFORE AT NIGHT THE SHOP CHANGES TO A DIFFERENT MANAGER.

THAT'S THE PERSON I WAS MENTIONING, TAKA-MORI

PLEASE ADVISE US ON HOW TO RUN THE SHOP.



I'VE NEVER HEARD ANYTHING,

REGARDING THIS THIRD BROTHER.



YOU
SHOULD
TAKE THE
DOG OUT
FOR A
WALK

REN?

UP UNTIL
LAST YEAR
HE WAS
LIVING IN
CANADA.

THAT'S MY
YOUNGEST
BROTHER,
REN.



THEY SAY
THAT HE'S
PERFECT
AND
REALLY
TALENTED
AND
WHAT-
EVER.

AMONG
THE STAFF
EVERYONE
SAYS THERE'S
A "NATSU"

BUT I DIDN'T
THINK THAT
THEY WERE
TALKING
ABOUT HARU
KAIDOU.

AFTER
HIGH
SCHOOL
NOBODY
HAS HEARD
ANY NEWS
ABOUT HIM
WHATSO-
EVER.



WHOA,
I GUESS
PEOPLE
NEVER
CHANGE.

If he's so
worried just
go with him

STAY
AWAY FROM
STRAN-
GERS AND
STRANGE
DOGS.

DO YOU
HAVE
YOUR
CELL
PHONE?

HEY!
REN!

DON'T
WANDER
OFF TOO
FAR!



YOU MET MY
BROTHER IN
HIGH SCHOOL,
RIGHT?

OH
YEAH.

AFTERWARDS
I RAN INTO
HIM AT KABUKI
CHOU* AND
HE SCARED ME
TO DEATH.

RIGHT
...

The
young-
est
bro-
ther



*Kabukicho: It contains many hostess bars, host bars, love hotels, shops, restaurants, and nightclubs, and is often called the "Sleepless Town"

I'M NOT
TALKING
BAD
ABOUT
YOU!

PLEASE DON'T
TALK BAD
ABOUT ME IN
FRONT OF MY
BROTHERS.

Smack

LISTEN,
KIYO.

HE TOLD ME,
"I ONLY WANT
THE STORE TO
BE OPEN UNTIL
DINNER TIME." SO
I HAD NO CHOICE
BUT TO COME AND
HELP HIM SOLVE
THIS MESS.

THEN RE-
CENTLY, YOU
WENT MISSING
AGAIN... IF
YOU'RE NOT
CAREFUL,
YOU'LL BECOME
AN URBAN
LEGEND.

LAST YEAR HE
JUST VANISHED
WITHOUT A TRACE.
I THOUGHT HE'D
GONE AWAY AND
WAS NEVER COMING
BACK AND THEN A
YEAR LATER I SEE
HIM AGAIN AT
KABUKI CHOU.

AND THAT
IKU TOO!
HE ADDRESSES YOU
SO MUCH THAT
HE QUIT THE
SHOP TOGETHER
WITH YOU
SAYING,

"WE'RE
OPENING A
CAFE NEXT!
IF WE'RE
ABLE TO AT-
TRACT LOTS
OF CUTE CUS-
TOMERS,
THAT'LL BE
GREAT!"

HERE
FOR ONE
SECOND,
THEN DIS-
APPEARING
THE NEXT.

THEN HE
RANDOMLY SAYS
THAT HE WANTS TO
OPEN UP A SHOP
DURING THE DAY
OBVIOUSLY I FIND IT
AMUSING HOW DIF-
FERENT HIS TRAIN
OF THOUGHT IS
FROM NORMAL
PEOPLE.

You can't act
like this and
still function
in society!
You two are
immature
and idiotic!

I'm
sorry





A FRIEND
OF MINE IS
MAKING ME
TAKE CARE
OF HIM FOR A
LITTLE BIT

YEAH,
THAT'S
RIGHT..
IS THERE
A PROBLEM?

ONE DAY HE
FOUND HIM
UNDERNEATH
THE PORCH.

OH,
REALLY?



I MIGHT
HAVE
THEIR
SCENT
ON ME.

I LIVE IN A
HOUSE WITH
A BUNCH OF
BIG DOGS, SO
IT'S PROBABLY
SCARING HIM.

NO,
IT'S NO
PROBLEM.

THIS DOG
IS NOT
USED TO
BEING
AROUND
PEOPLE.

I'M
REALLY
SORRY



AND HIS TAIL
IS A LITTLE
TOO SHORT TO
BE A GERMAN
SPITZ. IS HE
A MUTT?

BUT HIS
NOSE IS A
LITTLE TOO
LONG.

ANYWAY, IT
SEEMS LIKE
HE'S REALLY
OBEDIENT.
IS IT A POMERANIAN?

IS
THAT
SO.

It's
original

RIGHT
NOW

OH
REALLY
SURRY

I DON'T
REALLY
KNOW
EITHER

BUT IF YOU
FOUND THIS
DUE UNDER
THE PILE
MAYBE IT WAS
JUST LOST?

owner?

HIS ORIGINAL
OWNER MIGHT
BE WAITING
FOR HIM YOU
NEVER KNOW



YOU'RE THE
SAME AS EVER
EVERYTHING IS
ABOUT CAREFUL
AND METICU-
LOUS PLAN-
NING

WHAT ARE
YOU GOING TO
DO ABOUT THE
REFRIGERA-
TOR AND THE
STOVE?

IKU AND I
ARE GOING TO
TAKE MOST OF
THE RESPONSIB-
ILITY FOR THAT,
SO THERE
SHOULDN'T BE
A PROBLEM.

BUT ISN'T
THE COST WE
DETERMINED
FOR INTERIOR
DECORATION A
LITTLE LOW?

THE LAYOUT
AND BUSI-
NESS PLAN
ARE
BASICALLY
CLEAR.

It's like
he's been
blessed
with good
luck...
This guy.

Lucky
Every-
thing's
free of
charge

SO HE GAVE
EVERYTHING
THAT'S STILL
USABLE
TO ME
♡

AH, I KNOW
A FRIEND
WHOSE SHOP
AT OOKUBO
WENT DOWN,

I'LL
GIVE
IT MY
BEST.

DO YOU
WANT
ME TO
DRIVE
YOU
BACK?

I'LL COME
BY OFTEN AND
CHECK UP ON
YOU, WORK HARD
AND DON'T GET
LAZY ON ME!

ALRIGHT,
WELL I'M
GOING.





I DIDN'T
EVEN SAY
ANYTHING.

WHEN I MENTIONED YOU
SHE STARTED
RAMBLING ON
ABOUT ALL THESE
THINGS FROM SIX
YEARS AGO THAT
DON'T EVEN NEED
TO BE TALKED
ABOUT.

SOMETIMES
SHE COMES
BY MY SHOP
TO GET
SOMETHING
TO DRINK.

WE'RE BOTH
WOMEN. WE
HAD THINGS
IN COMMON.

EVEN SO,
AFTERWARDS
SHE STARTED
DESPERATELY
TRYING TO
FIND YOU
AGAIN.

HERE,
THIS
IS HER
CONTACT
INFORMATION.

JUST THAT
I RAN INTO
YOU ON THE
STREET,
THAT'S ALL.

AND I HAVE
MY MOMENTS
WHEN I NEED
TO TALK.

AND I THINK
YOU'RE MORE
SUITED FOR
A WOMAN A
LITTLE OLDER
THAN YOU.

YOU AND
HER ARE
BOTH
MATURE.

TIME CHANGES
PEOPLE, YOU
SHOULD MEET
WITH HER SOON.



SO THAT'S
THE REASON
HARU CAN'T
GET ANY
FREEDOM
ANYMORE.

IT'S SO
BRATTY!

WHAT
KIND OF
EXPRES-
SION IS
THAT?



BECAUSE OF HIS
"LITTLE BROTHER",
HE'S RUNNING ALL
OVER TAKING
CARE OF A KID
LIKE YOU. HE'S
STILL AN IDIOT

I'm not his
so called
"little
brother"

Act-
ually...



HARU!?



OH...

WHY
ARE YOU
HERE?

I
FOUND
YOU.



DIDN'T I
TELL YOU
NOT TO
COME PICK
ME UP!?

YOU LOOK
LIKE A REALLY
SKETCHY
CHARACTER.

AND THEN
ONE OF THE
TEACHERS
TOLD ME
TO COME
INSIDE.

I WAS
PARKED
OUTSIDE
WAITING
FOR YOU
IN THE
CAR.

PRO-
BABLY.

That's
what I
think



Me?

How?

YOU'RE SO CLUELESS ABOUT THINGS, YOU MADE THE TEACHER GO THROUGH SO MUCH TROUBLE.

I'M REALLY SORRY!

NOT ONLY DID I GET PERMISSION TO PARK, BUT I'M ALSO ABLE TO USE THE SCHOOL STAFF ONLY PARKING LOT! THAT'S WHAT THE TEACHER SAID TO ME HERSELF!



AH ACTUALLY. I THINK YOU'RE WRONG.

ARE THOSE THINGS REALLY TOO SIMPLE FOR YOU?

BECAUSE I THINK THAT AT THIS STAGE, YOU DON'T NEED TO STUDY TO DO THOSE THINGS.

Japanese is hard

RIGHT?



WEREN'T YOU LIKE THAT TOO?

UP UNTIL NOW HAS IT ALWAYS BEEN HARUKO-SAN TEACHING YOU?

ASIDE FROM THIS, HARUKO WOULD HAVE HER FORMER COWORKERS TEACH ME THINGS OVER THE INTERNET.

Lots of interesting things



...IS THERE ANY NEED?

AND I HAVE TO EXPLAIN IT TO THEM AND TAKE RESPONSIBILITY.

YOU STILL HAVEN'T GONE TO KARAOKE, OR HUNG UP ANY POSTERS, RENTED ANY MOVIES... WHEN I SAY IT, IT SOUNDS RIDICULOUS.

I'M REALLY NORMAL.

YOU'RE TRYING TO ACT WAY MORE MATURE THAN YOU SHOULD BE RIGHT NOW!

I JUST WANT YOU TO BE A NORMAL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT

SURE, SURE.

ALSO, I'VE HEARD THAT YOU DON'T TAKE NOTES IN ANY CLASS BESIDES JAPANESE.

THAT YOU
SHOULD PLACE
A LOT OF
IMPORTANCE
ON UNIVERSITY
LEVEL PHYS-
ICS AND MATH
THEN AFTER
THAT YOU CAN
RELAX

SHE
SAID

How do I
go about
explaining
this?

YEAH

HED
FLAMER
CONJURE-
D HIS
CERN?

ISNT HARUKO
STILL WORKING
THERE DOING
RESEARCH ON
SOME KIND OF
PARTICLE?

STOP.

The university
that Haruko-
san was talk-
ing about was
Harvard!

And he's been
taking private
lessons from
them since he
was young

CERN chooses
only a handful of
physicists from
thousand across
the globe

What was
that woman
thinking!?

HARUKO





WE WERE
LUCKY TO
HAVE
MIKIKO-SAN
RECOMMEND
THAT YOU
GO HERE.

No matter how
you look at it,
it's obvious that
this kid is going
to be famous
scholar or
something.

?



IS
THAT
SO...

I DON'T
REALLY
MIND.

SO THE
CLASSES
HERE ARE
TOO BORING
FOR YOU?

AH...

There are
a few
such thing
as skipping
grades in
Japan

IT LOOKS
LIKE STARTING
ON MONDAY
THERE WILL BE A
COUPLE CLASSES
THAT WILL HAVE
UNIVERSITY
PROFESSORS
COME LECTURE
FOR A FEW
HOURS EACH
WEEK

THEY'RE
GOING TO
LET ME
TAKE A FEW
SPECIALIZED
CLASSES
WITH THEM.

WHAT?

HARU.

MAYBE
SO.

BUT UP
UNTIL NOW
THEY STILL
HAVEN'T
BEEN
ABLE TO
FIND HIM.

I THINK THAT
TANUKI HAD
AN OWNER
BEFORE.



is that what's making you act so depressed?

Ren, you're too cute!



!!

xjfd



ARE LIKE A REALLY EMBARRASSING MARRIED COUPLE...

THESE TWO.

WHO'S MORE IMPORTANT TO YOU, ME OR TANUKI?!

ALSO, RECENTLY YOU'VE BEEN WITH TANUKI ALL THE TIME

gyaal!

gyaal!

YOU'RE SO ANNOYING!

OH YEAH, AND THIS MORNING YOU DIDN'T GIVE ME A GOODBYE KISS!

GET OUT PER-VERT!

ORIGINALLY THIS PLACE WAS A TAILOR SHOP THAT DOUBLED AS AN ART SCHOOL.

YEAH.

HEY...

FOR THE RENT, THIS PLACE ISN'T SO BAD.

SHOULD WE PLAN TO START WORKING AFTER GOLDEN WEEK*?

DURING THE GW VACATION ARE YOU PLANNING ON TAKING RENREN ANYWHERE?

OH YEAH, HARU.

IS NOW THE TIME TO BE MAKING CHIT-CHAT?

OH, THAT'S TOO BAD

DON'T YOU KNOW THAT HE HATES CROWDED PLACES MORE THAN ANYTHING?

ALSO AKI AND SHIMA HAVE TO WORK PART TIME DURING GOLDEN WEEK

NO PROBLEM AND ANYWAY, I WANT TO PUT IN SOME NEW WOOD FLOOR BOARDS.

ALSO WHERE ARE YOU GOING TO PUT THE BAR?

WHAT-EVER YOU WANT

THE PLAN IS TO PUT THE BAR ON THE INSIDE...

*Holidays on Apr. 29 and May 3rd through 5th. Usually abbreviated as GW.



AMMM,
BUT I'M

ME
TOO.

REALLY
HUNGRY
RIGHT
NOW

REALLY,
WHEN I SAID
YOU TWO
WERE USE-
LESS BUMS
I WAS
SPOT ON.

NO
PROB-
LEM!

HURRY UP AND MAKE
ME SOME BUSINESS
PLANS! OTHERWISE
YOU TWO WILL JUST
KEEP ON LIVING LIKE
USELESS BUMS.

I HAVEN'T HAD
MONEY FOR A
WHILE SO I
WAS PLANNING
ON TURNING
THIS PLACE INTO
MY HOUSE.

I want
you to
work Iku!

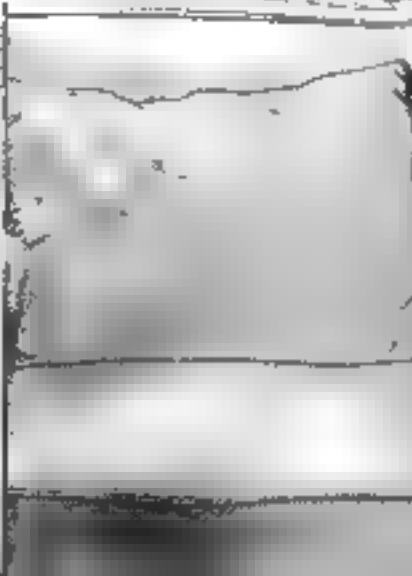


HARU.

HAVE YOU
GOTTEN IN
TOUCH WITH
HER?



...
OUCH!



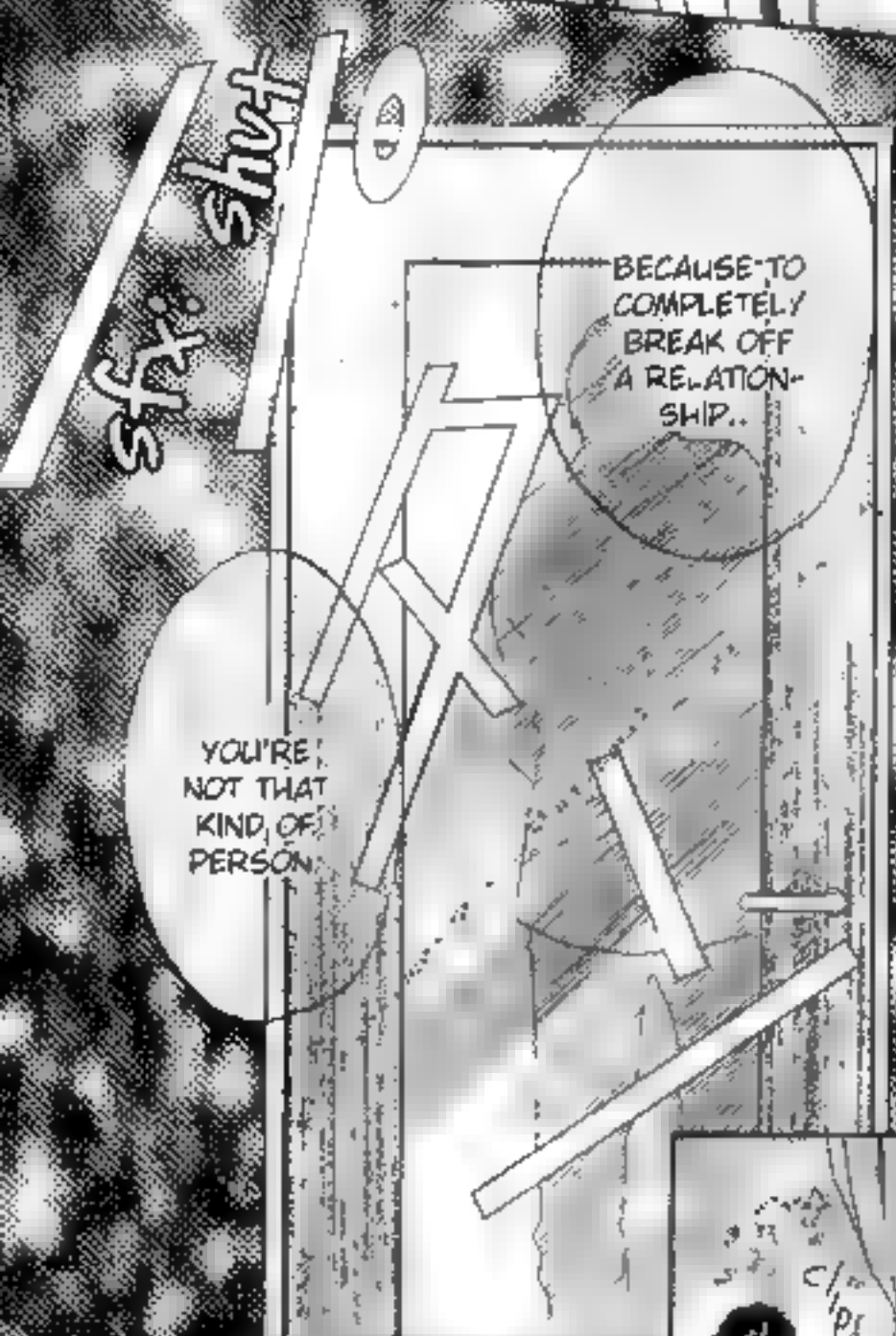
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BUT IT'S NOT AN ISSUE.

YEAH.

WASN'T THAT STUFF THAT HAPPENED SIX YEARS AGO?



YOU'RE NOT THAT KIND OF PERSON.

BECAUSE TO COMPLETELY BREAK OFF A RELATIONSHIP..



BUT ..

TOWARDS THE END SHE DIDN'T TRUST WHAT YOU SAID.

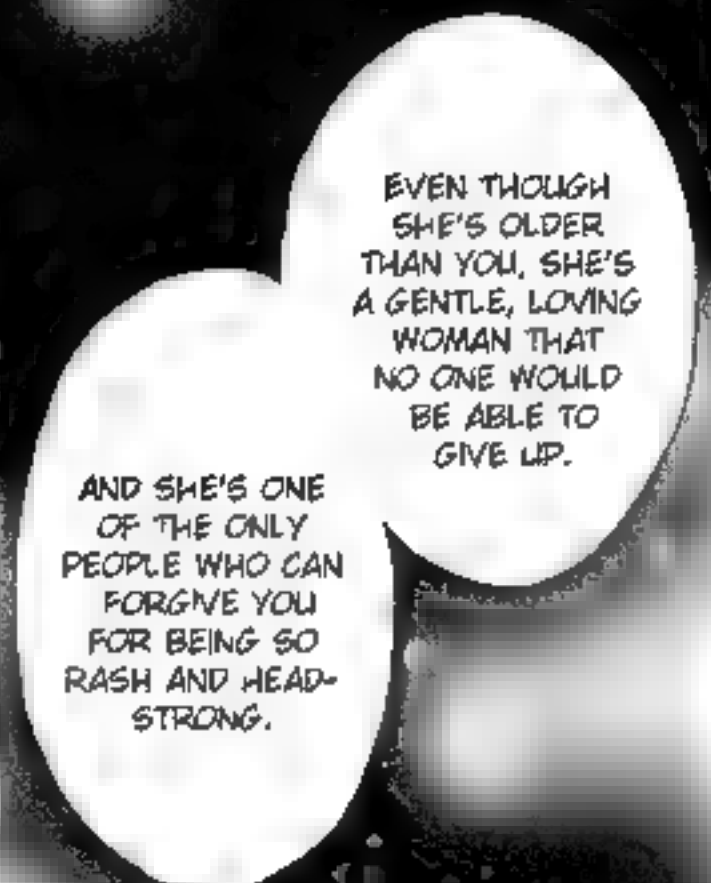
SO THAT'S WHY YOU'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO FORGET HER?



SHE WAS THE FIRST GIRL TO REALLY MAKE YOU FEEL SOMETHING, RIGHT?

BECAUSE I KNOW

WHAT YOU WERE FEELING BACK THEN.



AND SHE'S ONE OF THE ONLY PEOPLE WHO CAN FORGIVE YOU FOR BEING SO RASH AND HEAD-STRONG.

EVEN THOUGH SHE'S OLDER THAN YOU, SHE'S A GENTLE, LOVING WOMAN THAT NO ONE WOULD BE ABLE TO GIVE UP.



WHY WOULD I WANT TO GET IN TOUCH WITH HER?





Iku!

AWAH!

What
the
hell is
going
on
bet-
ween
that
man
and
that
little
kid?

What
what
what's
the
prob-
lem?



Ehh?

EHH
HHH
HH?!?

EXACTLY TO
WHAT EXTENT
HAS HE TAKEN
THIS? I'M GOING
TO THE POLICE
IMMEDIATELY!

WHAT
A DIS-
GUSTING
MAN.

IN THE BEGINNING
KIYOKA-SAN WAS
SHOCKED TOO. ..

AHHHHH!

OH, IS
THIS ABOUT
HARU AND
REN?

In this day and
age how can
there be this
kind of broth-
erly love crap?

Huh!?

CRUSH

THAT'S JUST
THE WAY
THOSE TWO
ALWAYS ACT!

YOU
CAN'T
DO
THAT!

SERI-
OUSLY?

SO
WHAT-
EVER
THEY'RE
DOING
IT'S NOT
A BIG
DEAL!

BESIDES
THOSE TWO
AREN'T
EVEN RE-
LATED BY
BLOOD!

NO, THIS
IS COM-
pletely
TRUE!

THEY
BOTH
GREW UP
IN A DIF-
FERENT
COUNTRY!

RENREN WAS STAYING
IN CANADA UP UNTIL
LAST YEAR, HE WAS
RAISED WITH A
WESTERN VIEWPOINT,
SO WHEN YOU COM-
PARE IT WITH US
JAPANESE PEOPLE
IT'S LIKE A TOTALLY
DIFFERENT UNIVERSE.

...
HUH?



IF EVEN HARU-SAN WON'T TAKE CARE OF HIM, HE'D BE SENT TO AN ORPHANAGE.

WHY NOT? WASN'T HE LIVING IN CANADA BEFORE?

THEN HARU HAS NO RESPONSIBILITY TO TAKE CARE OF HIM!

.. IS THAT REALLY POSSIBLE? IT LOOKS LIKE HARU-SAN'S PARENTS HAD ALREADY ADOPTED HIM BEFORE THEY DIED.

DO YOU THINK HARU-SAN WANTS RENREN TO GO DOWN THE SAME ROAD HE DID?

BECAUSE A LOT OF THINGS HAPPENED.

AND HARU-SAN WOULDN'T JUST THROW HIM OUT IN THE COLD.



HE STUDIES REALLY WELL TOO. HIS TEST SCORES WERE SO HIGH THAT HE GOT A FULL SCHOLARSHIP FOR HIGH SCHOOL. IT'S REALLY AMAZING.

NO MATTER HOW LATE HARU-SAN IS OUT WORKING, HE WAITS FOR HIM TO COME HOME EVERY NIGHT.

RENREN MIGHT ACT COLD TOWARDS PEOPLE BUT HE'S ACTUALLY A REALLY SWEET KID. HE'S COMPLETELY DIFFERENT FROM KIDS HIS AGES, NOT MOUTHY OR BRATTY.



AND ALSO BECAUSE YOU KICKED ME REALLY HARD!

BECAUSE KIYOKA-SAN SAYS REN IS LIKE AN UNWANTED STEPCHILD!

wahhh

...What the hell are you crying about?

IF IT'S TOO
BIG IT MIGHT
NOT FIT

HOW
BIG IS
IT?

ABOUT
THE BAR
COUNTER.

HOW BIG
DOES IT NEED
TO BE? GIVE
ME THE MEA-
SUREMENTS.

EH...?

I FOUND
ONE THAT
LOOKS
SUITABLE.

BUT I'M
NOT GOING
TO GIVE
YOU ANY
MONEY.

I DON'T
HAVE ANY
SPECIFIC
REQUIRE-
MENTS.

ALL THE
MONEY
YOU'VE
EVER MADE
HAS BEEN
THROUGH
CHEATING
PEOPLE

I'VE
OPENED
FOUR!

AND DO YOU
KNOW HOW
MANY PEOPLE
ARE FIGHTING TO
GET ME TO COME
HELP THEM RUN
THEIR SHOPS?

OH,
IS THAT
SO?

WHAT
KIND OF
CRAP IS
THAT?!

YOU
LITTLE
BASTARD
ACTING LIKE
A BANDIT
CHEATING
PEOPLE AND
TRYING TO
MAKE SURE
YOU GET ALL
THE MONEY

HOW MANY
STORES
HAVE YOU
OPENED IN
THE PAST
COUPLE
YEARS?!



THANKS.

I
KNOW

REN,
SORRY.

I HAVE TO
GO BACK TO
THE STORE AND
TAKE SOME
MEASUREMENTS,
YOU'LL HAVE TO
TAKE CARE OF
THE DISHES.



WAIT FOR
ME TO
GET BACK
AND I'LL
BAKE YOU
A CAKE.

using
rice
flour

IT'S
UP TO
YOU.

WANT
ARE
YOU
TRYING
TO
PULL?

Okay!
I want to
help clean
up too.
♡

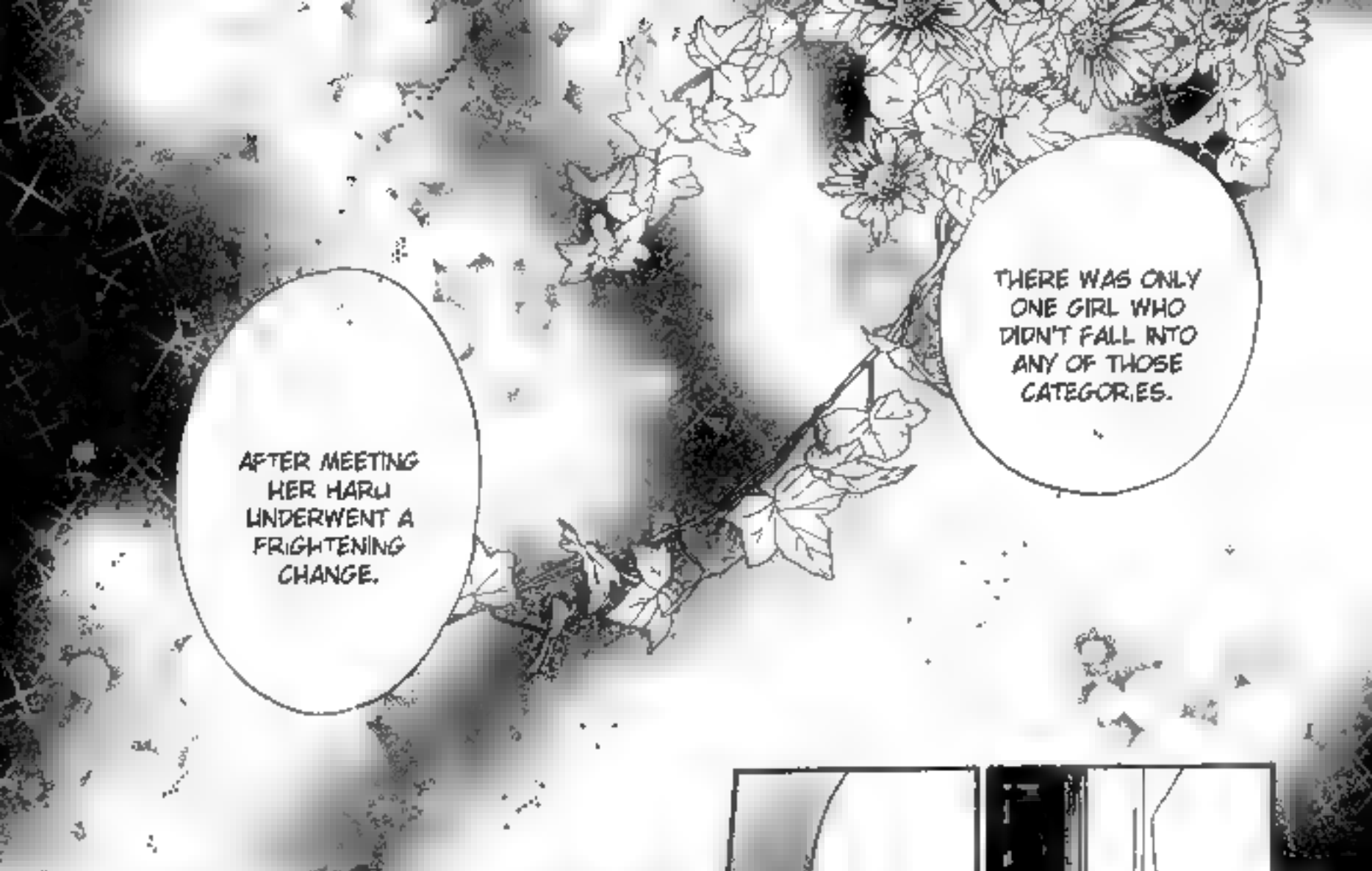
BECAUSE
THAT'S A
WOMAN'S
JOB.
♡

HEY

SO
YOUR
NAME'S
REN?







AFTER MEETING
HER HARU
UNDERWENT A
FRIGHTENING
CHANGE.

THERE WAS ONLY
ONE GIRL WHO
DIDN'T FALL INTO
ANY OF THOSE
CATEGORIES.

IF THE
TWO OF
THEM
WANTED
TO MEET,

clack
THEN SHE
SHOULD
JUST DO
IT.

I'M NOT AS
GOOD OF
A PERSON
AS HER.

SO I WANT
TO HELP
HER ACHIEVE
HER HEART'S
DESIRE.

HOW'D
HE
CHANGE?

THAT MAN,
SINCE BIRTH
HE'S BEEN
CHARMED
BY WOMEN.

YOU
WOULDN'T
OBJECT?

I
KNOW.

RIGHT NOW
SHE REALLY
WANTS TO
MEET UP
WITH HARU.

I'M NOT
TELLING
YOU!

IT'S A
SECRET!

ASIDE FROM
BEING MALE
AND A CHILD,

YOU'RE
JUST A
YOUNGER
BROTHER.

YOU REALLY
LIKE HIM.

BUT IT'S
OBVIOUS
THAT TO
HIM,

YOU'RE ALSO
HIS YOUNGER
BROTHER.

LET ME
SAY IT IN
ANOTHER
WAY.





IT'S JUST
PAST MID-
NIGHT

WHAT
TIME IS
IT?

SORRY
REN...

...YOU'RE
STILL NOT
ASLEEP?

HOW LATE
DO YOU
PLAN ON
STAYING UP
DRINKING?



AH, LOOKS
LIKE SHIMA
RECORDED
SOME FOREIGN
SERIES?

I DON'T
KNOW WHAT
HAPPENED TO
THE PERSON
WHO KEEPS
TELLING ME TO
GO TO BED
EARLY.

Smells
like
alcohol
again

YOU SHOULD
SPEND THE
NIGHT WITH
ME. DO YOU
WANT TO
WATCH TV?

HOW
IS IT
STILL SO
EARLY?

WHAT-
EVER,
ANY-
THING'S
GOOD.

HOW
ABOUT
THIS?

YOU
REALLY
REEK
OF ALCO-
HOL!

YOU'RE
RIGHT. I'M
SUCH A
MESSED UP
PERSON.

SUDDENLY
I WANT REN
TO SPEND
THE NIGHT
WITH ME.

♡





"It's just
your family
getting one
extra person
that's all"

"Don't
worry."

"Haru."

A PRETTY GIRL CAN GET
A TEENAGE BOY TO DO
A LOT OF THINGS.



ARE YOU
THAT WAY
TOO?

HARU



EH?

REN!?

IT'S JUST
SOMETHING
THEY SAID
ON THE TV
SHOW.





WERENT YOU
THE ONE
WHO SAID YOU
WANTED TO
LIVE WITH ME?

WELL OF
COURSE

.....
?

IT DOESNT
MATTER IF IT'S
ABOUT WORK
OR LIVING IN
THIS HOUSE,
OR COOKING

SO
I...!

WHAT'S SO
BAD ABOUT
THAT?

EVEN GOING
TO THE ZOO
WAS JUST
BECAUSE OF
ME?

I DONT IN THE
LEAST BIT WANT
TO MAKE YOU
DO THINGS THAT
YOU DONT
WANT TO DO!

IS EVERY-
THING YOU DO
JUST TO TAKE
CARE OF ME?



I WANT
TO DO?

THINGS
THAT



HEY,
REN!?

THAT'S WHY
YOU'RE AN
IDIOT!

SLEEP IN
YOUR OWN
ROOM?



I DON'T WANT
TO STAY WITH
THIS DRUNK
ANYMORE

YOU SAID BEFORE
THAT YOU HATE
SLEEPING ALONE
AND LIKE COMING
INTO MY ROOM AND
STAYING UNTIL
MORNING

WHAT?



TONIGHT I
WANT TO
SLEEP IN MY
OWN ROOM.

SFX:
SLAM



I'M
REALLY
SAD



cheek



TALKED



IT'S NOT
ANYTHING
LIKE THE DUG
YOU WERE
HOPING FOR.







MOVE!

SO,

I ONLY DO
WHAT YOU
WANT ME
TO DO.

HOW AM I
SUPPOSED
TO LISTEN
TO YOU?

DON'T
TOUCH
ME!

I
REFUSE.

YOU'RE
PRECIOUS
DOG ISN'T IN
THIS ROOM.



ADMM

HAA.

I don't
recognize this
person that
doesn't care
at all about
what I want

He's not
the always
smiling
Hare that
I know



on
the
face

on
the
face



You suddenly bit me!?

OW!

OW!

HAH!

YOU'RE THIS AGE AND YOU STILL ACT LIKE THIS BECAUSE OF ALCOHOL.

YOU ASKED FOR IT BY BEING A DRUNK.

WITE



WHAT JUST
HAPPENED
WAS A Joke

I CAN'T USE
ALICIA AS
AN EXCUSE
TO DO SUCH
NASTY THINGS
TO YOU

AND
YEAH
YOU'RE
RIGHT



HARU?

HOW COULD I
EVER ACTUALLY
ACT LIKE THAT
TO MY LITTLE
BROTHER!



But why
is Ren
apolo-
gizing to
me...?

REALLY
.?

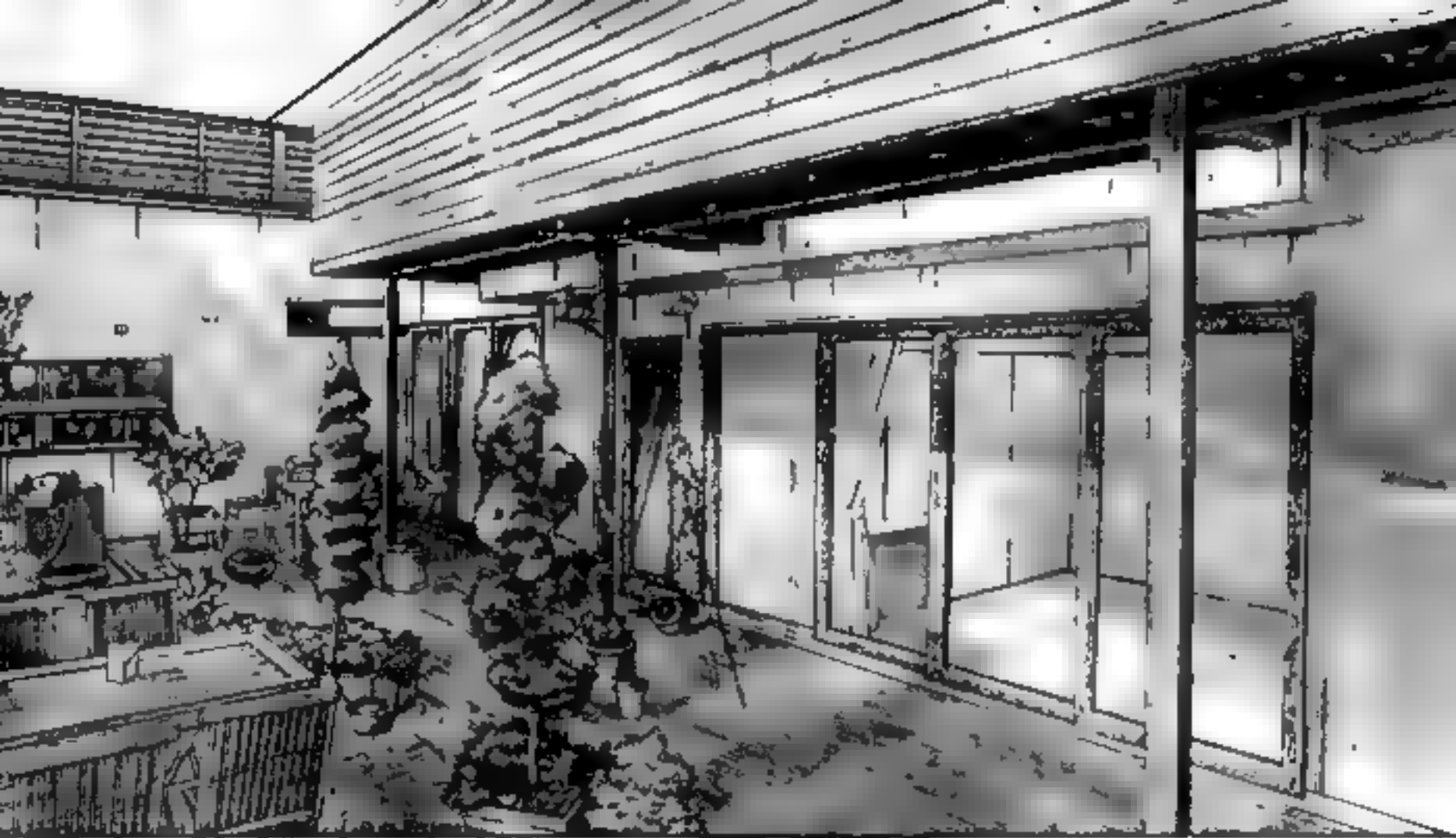
Shit.

Ah...

No...

It's
not
like
that...

I'M
SORRY



WHERE'D HE GO?

BUT, BUT IT'S ALREADY NOON!



BUT REN LEFT REALLY EARLY THIS MORNING.



YESTERDAY YOU AND REN WERE BEING REALLY LOUD. WERE YOU FIGHTING?



ARE YOU
GUYS NOT
JUST A LITTLE
BIT WORRIED!?

IT LOOKS
LIKE HE
DIDN'T TAKE
HIS PHONE.

WELL, I'M THINK-
ING THAT IF HE'S
ALREADY OUT HE
CAN BRING BACK
LUNCH FOR US.

NO.

He
probably
just
forgot
it

Idiots!



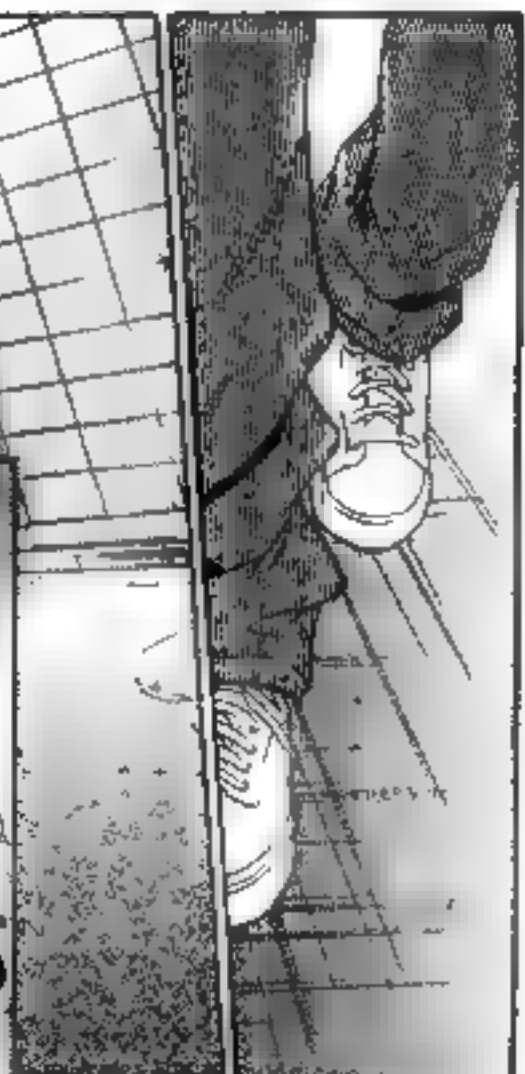
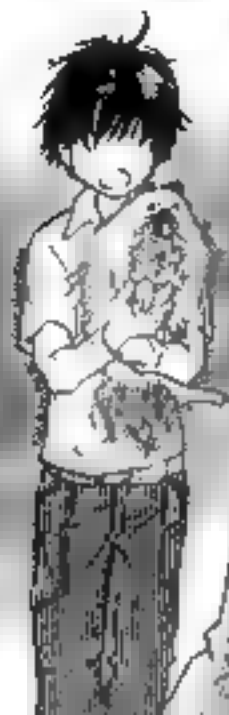
REN ISN'T A FIVE
OR SIX YEAR OLD
KID ANYMORE. HE
CAN TAKE CARE OF
LUNCH BY HIMSELF!

AND
ANYWAY
HE HAS
HIS OWN
SPENDING
MONEY!

SHIMA,

HURRY UP
AND CALL
HIS PHONE.

OKAY,
OKAY.





MAA

1 CAMP
FIND MIA

599

I'VE ALREADY
BEEN AROUND
THE LO
THREE TIMES

Pant

WHERE
THE
HECK DID
DEN RUN
OFF TO?

Pant



THE



WHY DO YOU
HAVE SUCH A
PANICKED
EXPRESSION?

?

make
him say
those
kinds of
things.

I obviously
didn't
mean to

AND WHERE
ARE YOU
GOING IN
SUCH A
HURRY?

How
can you
say such
normal
things!?

TO LOOK
FOR
TANUKI'S
OWNER.

I WENT TO
JI-SAN'S
NEIGHBOR-
HOOD

ACTUALLY,
I WAS KIND
OF WORRIED
SINCE YOU
HAD BEEN
GONE ALL
MORNING
WHERE DID
YOU GO?

NO.

IT'S BEEN A
LONG TIME
SINCE I'VE
BROKEN A
SWEAT, SO I
DECIDED TO
GET OUT AND
EXERCISE.

...HARU?

WHAT!?

AND THE
HOUSE
WAS SOLD
A WHILE
AGO.

THE MAN'S
CHILDREN AND
RELATIVES
LIVE REALLY
FAR AWAY,

SO TANUKI
WANTED TO LOOK
FOR ANOTHER
OLD MAN LIVING
ALONE SO IT'D
BE LIKE HOW IT
WAS BEFORE.

HIS FORMER
OWNER WAS AN
OLD MAN WHO
LIVED ALONE, HE
DIED ABOUT A
MONTH AGO.

TANUKI
MUST
THINK
SO TOO.

IF HIS OWNER
IS STILL OUT
LOOKING FOR
HIM ISN'T THAT
REALLY SAD?

SO, DID
YOU FIND
THEM?

KIND
OF

KIND
OF?

IT'S NOT
GREAT BUT
THERE'S
NOTHING
ELSE WE
CAN DO.

YEAH.

SO UNTIL
JII-SAN GETS
BACK WE'LL
JUST HAVE TO
LOOK AFTER
HIM AT OUR
HOUSE.

REALLY

YOU
MUST
BE TIRED
REN.

ARE YOU
HUNGRY?

I'M GOING
HOME NOW
TO MAKE
FOOD.



I'M STILL
NOT THAT
HUNGRY

YOU
DON'T
HAVE TO
GO BACK
NOW.

REN?



IF YOU'D
BE ABLE TO
FIND YOUR
HOME

OF
COURSE
YOU'D BE
HAPPIER.



I UNDER-
STAND
WHAT IT
FEELS LIKE
TO HAVE
NOWHERE
TO GO
HOME
TO.

BECAUSE
I'M THAT
WAY TOO

REN, WHY
WERE YOU SO
SET ON FIND-
ING TANUKI'S
ORIGINAL
OWNER?



WELL, THEN
LET'S GO
BUY THE
INGREDIENTS
FOR DINNER
TOGETHER

REALLY

IF I
HAVE
TANUKI

WE
CAN'T
GO IN
THE
STORE.

OH,
RIGHT

I made
him
say it.

WHAT
ARE YOU
SAYING?

DON'T YOU
ALREADY
HAVE A
HOME?

That's
wrong...

NOWHERE
TO GO
HOME TO..

I SHOULD
THANK YOU.

YOU'RE
RIGHT.

YES.

SO..

AND AT THAT
HOME YOU HAVE A
ROOM THAT FACES
A PARK FULL OF
BLOOMING CHERRY
BLOSSOMS.

IT'S
REALLY
BEAUTIFUL.

It's only
because of
you that I
bought that
house..

AND WHEN IT
COMES TIME
FOR ME TO
MOVE OUT
I'LL ALWAYS
REMEMBER IT
IN MY HEART.

...
WHA-

This
is...





I'M
SORRY
ABOUT
YESTER-
DAY

Why are
you the one
apologiz-
ing!?



YOU'RE
AWFUL

WHAT?

YOU'RE
SAYING ALL
THESE CRAZY
THINGS AND
IT'S MAKING
MY HEAD
HURT



HARU...



RIGHT?

I SAID A LOT
OF THINGS
THAT I
SHOULDN'T
HAVE.



SO...
WHAT!?

THAT'S
RIGHT,
I'M NOT
YOUR REAL
YOUNGER
BROTHER.

IF I GET
TOO CLOSE
WE'LL
BOTH END
UP FEEL-
ING HURT.

I'M NOT LIKE AKI
OR SHIMA. I DON'T
KNOW WHAT'S
APPROPRIATE TO
SAY WITH YOU OR
HOW TO KEEP A
GOOD DISTANCE.



I JUST WANT
TO FULFILL
YOUR WISH. I'LL
TRY MY BEST

REN, THAT'S
NOT WHAT
I MEANT
TO SAY.

This is
also



TO FULFILL
YOUR WISH.

I SIMPLY
WANT TO BE
A YOUNGER
BROTHER
TO YOU.



This is...

I caused
him to
say this.

FROM NOW ON YOU
DONT NEED TO MAKE
SO MUCH OF AN
EFFORT TO TAKE
CARE ME

SUPER LOVERS #65



IF YOU KEEP
STARING AT IT
LIKE THAT IT'S
GOING TO RUN
AWAY.

REN. IS
THE CAT
REALLY
THAT
STRANGE?



I'll go
grab it.

MUHT



dash

LOOK.



J X a
meow





REN?

WHO KNOWS?

WHERE DID THAT KID RUN OFF TO?

Can

Can



HEY! WHEN DID I SAY WE COULD KEEP IT? WE CAN'T RAISE IT!

OH YOU'RE BACK.

Hurry up and let it go!

WE CAN'T KEEP IT!

MAOW

DOESN'T OUR HOUSE ALREADY HAVE TANUKI!?

step



What
the hell
was
that?



HEY,
REN?

WHOA!

HEY!
WHAT!
WHAT DO
THE TWO
OF YOU
KNOW?

HEY!
WHAT!

What
ridiculous
reason
are you
and Ak
coming
up with?

I SEE.
THEY'RE
EXACTLY
THE SAME.

UH
HUH...

His pupils
are sort of
like a bloom-
ing flower.

IT SEEMS
LIKE HE
KNOWS IT
TOO.

What
does that
mean!?

LOOK, RIGHT
NOW HE
REALLY
LOOKS LIKE
BROTHER.

Afterword

Last time I forgot to mention about the plot with the twins,

I really liked it.
But even though I liked it, when I was drawing it you could say I was digging my own grave.
Why?

soon it won't work



Shoulder is sore.

Hi everybody, this is Abe Miyuki. This is the second volume of Super Lovers!

His way of thinking is also different than before.

It's slowly becoming more and more like Haru's.

In the end I think...

Eh?

It's so hard not to grow up!

← "Before" was probably pointing at Ren.

is also growing!
As it should...



My height

At that time Ren was still young and naive.

Now he's grown into a high school student and he's slowly becoming an adult....!

Wait.

Please everyone continue to give advice and criticism!



From today on it will continue into the future.

Going on with speaking about this problem.

It seems like pitiable characters are my favorite kinds....?

And then...

The grown up Ren.

I pity him a little bit but at the same time I think he's happy. ♡



In the end, I still draw their childhood as being very happy.
Haru and the twins.

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ただの「弟」でもいい。
ずっと、貴方のそばにいられるのなら。

血の繋がりのない末っ子、零の高校生を機に、双子の次男と三男・零樹と一時離れ合流し、念願叶って兄弟4人で暮らすことになった御堂晴新居で始まるカフェの準備で忙しく今までのように零とずっと一緒ににはいられなかったが、零の様子は新しい環境や友達との登場にも相変わらずマイペースに見えていた。ところがある夜、些細な言い争いから零に本音を引きずりだされた晴は、酔いに任せ零を襲ってしまった……？
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